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Chou Offers Formosa Talks With U.S.

AFRICAN VIOLET CRAZE BLOOMING ALL OVER

The African violet, a flower discovered in East Africa in 1890, has suddenly developed what is described as "the fastest-blooming craze in the world," says an article in Weekend Magazine in this issue. Clubs have been formed, and magazines published for the "fever" which grips people who grow them.

Public Power In Jeopardy Says Webster

CCF Leader Says Withdrawal
Big Defeat for Commission

CCF Opposition Leader Arnold Webster said today the B.C. government must "very soon take a stand" on the future of public power in British Columbia.

Mr. Webster, commenting on the B.C. Power Commission's withdrawal from the Powell River power battle in favor of the B.C.E., said the move "was a defeat for public power."

He said that as long as the two utilities are operating, "the commission will have to battle every inch of the way," and that the province "is not big enough for both."

Mr. Webster said "there will be constant friction and trouble," as long as both private

and public utilities are operating.

In Victoria, Frank Snowsell, former Saanich CCF MLA, and a member of the party's provincial executive, said Premier Bennett "is trying to undermine the power commission, and would sell the whole thing down the river if he could."

He called the commission's retreat at Powell River "a betrayal of the interests of the people, and a deplorable retrograde step."

Cabinet Interference Denied

Meanwhile, Premier Bennett and B.C.P.C. chairman T. H. Crosby have issued statements denying there was cabinet interference in the Powell River issue.

(During a press conference Thursday, the commission said the matter had been discussed with individual members of the cabinet, who "confirmed the thinking" of the commission.

(Commissioners also admitted their action depended on cabinet backing.)

Chelsea Wins Championship

LONDON (Reuters) — Chelsea, the luckless London soccer club for years the butt of comedians, today won the English Football League championship for the first time by blanking Sheffield Wednesday here 3-0. Its nearest rival, Portsmouth, drew with Cardiff 1-1.

Victory came on the 50th anniversary year of the club, formed in a London tavern in 1905.

Manager Ted Drake, almost overcome with emotion, and captain Roy Bentley, the England international, thanked the overjoyed fans for their support over the years.

Celtic and Clyde fought to a 1-1 draw in the Scottish Cup final at Hampden Park today, and will replay the game Wednesday night. (See scores on Page 3.)

Gail Russell Fined for Hit-Run

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Actress Gail Russell was convicted Friday of hit-run driving and fined \$50. Miss Russell was accused of leaving the scene after her car struck the rear of one driven by Leonard Deutch, 29, in North Hollywood last Feb. 11. Deutch, his wife and baby were shaken up.

Busse Dead

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (UP) — Henry Busse, 61, famous orchestra leader and trumpet player known as "Mr. Hot Lips Himself," died of a heart attack at the Hotel Peabody here today.

Bulganin Favors Talk 'At Summit'

Says Ike, Eden
Must Set Date

MOSCOW (AP) — Premier Nikolai Bulganin said tonight he favors a "parley at the summit" but the date depends on President Eisenhower and British Prime Minister Eden.

Bulganin told this to Western correspondents at a gala reception given by Foreign Minister Molotov at the Spiridonovka palace for a Polish government delegation. The Poles are in Moscow to celebrate the 10th anniversary of the Soviet-Polish mutual-aid treaty.

Bulganin was questioned by Western correspondents around a buffet table.

He was asked whether the Soviet proposal on a Big Four foreign ministers' conference to sign the Austrian state treaty might be followed by a meeting of the four heads of government.

"Ask Eisenhower and Eden about the date," Bulganin replied. "I have made my position clear."

"Do you mean by that statement that you are of a positive attitude toward a Big Four meeting?" a correspondent asked.

Bulganin nodded. This was taken by Western correspondents to mean Bulganin is ready to meet the three Western heads of government when the date is set.

Tory-Socred 'Deal' Charged in Brief

Details Revealed at Executive
Meeting Here of B.C. Association

By TOM GOULD

Federal Conservative organizers discouraged constituency officials from fielding candidates in the 1953 provincial elections, in order to enlist the support of Social Crediters in the federal election contests.

This charge was laid today by officers of the B.C. Progressive Conservative Association, in a brief presented to an executive meeting in the Empress Hotel.

The brief accused the federal Tory organization of working to undermine the provincial party to gain Social Credit aid in the federal field.

STUDY SET

The executive meeting was adjourned at noon, so members could study the brief, and formulate action aimed at forcing a national party convention.

Quoted in the brief, which traces the stormy inter-party dissension from 1942, is Douglas Taylor, past president of the Chilliwack provincial constituency association, and of the Fraser Valley federal riding association.

Mr. Taylor reported on a conversation he had with a man "who identified himself as John Fox, federal Conservative organizer in B.C."

According to Taylor, Fox told him "We have decided to support the Social Credit party provincially, so it would be wise for you if you do not run anywhere in the '53 provincial election."

The brief also quotes J. P. Robertson, a past president of the Chilliwack provincial group, concerning another pre-election discussion in 1953, with the same Mr. Fox, who termed himself "a special representative for George Drew."

"He (Mr. Fox) explained that if we would do the same as New Westminster, and not oppose the Social Credit provincially, the Social Credit would support us federally," said Mr. Robertson.

Throughout the brief, Howard Green, Tory MP for Vancouver-Quadra, is accused of opposing attempts to restore harmony in the B.C. Conservative party.



TONIGHT

Turn Clock AHEAD

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Daylight saving time starts officially at 12:01 a.m. Sunday morning, which is the middle of the night to many sound-sleeping citizens.

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You can change your clocks before you go to bed or after you get up.

BUT . . . Turn them one hour A-H-E-A-D.

U.S. Wants Chiang In on Talks

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States called on Red China today to show its sincerity and accept Nationalist China as a participant as a condition to any direct negotiations on the Formosan situation.

The state department issued a statement after consultations with President Eisenhower on Red Chinese Premier Chou En-lai's offer to negotiate directly with the United States on Far East tensions, particularly in the Formosa area.

THREE WAYS

It suggested three ways in which Communist China could demonstrate its sincerity:

1. Agree to a cease-fire immediately in Formosa Strait.
2. Release at once the 15 American airmen and about 40 U.S. civilians "it unjustly holds."
3. Accept the United Nations Security Council's "outstanding invitation" to debate ways of ending hostilities in the Formosa area.

DULLES ADVISED

Department officials said State Secretary Dulles, vacationing at Duck Island in Lake Ontario, was being advised of Red China's proposals for negotiations.

The department's statement was issued after acting secretary Herbert Hoover Jr. talked by telephone with President Eisenhower, who is week-ending at his Gettysburg, Pa., farm.

White House press secretary James Hagerty said earlier the president had been "in close touch with the situation all morning." Hagerty said Eisenhower spent an hour on the phone discussing Chou's statement with him and Hoover.



CHOU EN-LAI
explodes bombshell

REACTION

'New Formosa Situation' Hope of U.K.

LONDON (Reuters) — Britain today expressed hope that Chinese Premier Chou En-lai's offer to negotiate with the United States will produce "a new situation" over Formosa.

The official view here came in a cautious statement from a foreign office spokesman shortly after Chou's announcement at the Asian-African conference.

Diplomatic quarters in London welcomed the announcement as the most encouraging sign yet that Peiping wants a negotiated settlement of the explosive Formosa issue. They pointed out the contrast with past Peiping declarations thundering against U.S. "aggression" and insisting the Formosa issue was purely an internal Chinese affair.

TAIPEI (AP) — Official Chinese Nationalist quarters tonight described Red China's offer to negotiate the Formosa issue with the United States as "a peace offensive and a well-timed bit of propaganda."

Nothing that Premier Chou En-lai's statement at Bandung came on the eve of the arrival here of U.S. Admiral Arthur Radford and Assistant Secretary of State Walter Robertson, a spokesman said.

"When the Communists find it profitable they talk about peace. Past experience shows the United States cannot do business with the Reds."

RCN Ships In Collision

HALIFAX (BUP) — Two Canadian warships collided Friday night 28 miles off Bermuda. Atlantic Command head headquarters reported today.

The navy said the destroyer Algonquin, under Capt. R. L. Hemmings, of Ottawa and Halifax, and the frigate Buckingham, under Lt.-Cmdr. J. W. Roberts, of Ottawa, rammed into each other while on anti-submarine exercises in the Caribbean.

No one was injured. Both ships returned to Bermuda under their own power. The Algonquin was holed on the starboard quarter near the stern, while the Buckingham suffered damage to her bow, above the waterline.

Ex-Mayor Dies

EDMONTON (CP) — Sidney Parsons, 62, a bricklayer and contractor who was Edmonton's mayor in 1949 and 1950, died Friday.

Peiping Doesn't Want To Go To War Bandung Parley Told

BANDUNG, Indonesia (CP) — Premier Chou En-lai of China said in a formal statement today that his country is ready to negotiate with the United States to relax the tension in the Far East "and especially in the Taiwan (Formosa) area."

Chou's bombshell announcement followed his declaration to the Asian-African conference this morning that his government does not want to go to war against the U.S. He invited any one of the 29 conference countries to serve as mediator.

Then he hurried off to discuss the Formosa issue with delegates of Thailand, the Philippines and the five "Colombo powers"—India, Pakistan, Ceylon, Burma and Indonesia. It was agreed there that Chou would make the announcement about the discussions.

After returning to the afternoon session of the conference's political committee, Chou issued the Formosa statement saying:

"The Chinese people do not want to have war with the United States."

"The Chinese government is willing to sit down and enter into negotiations with the U.S. government to discuss the question of relaxing tension in the Far East and especially the question of relaxing tension in the Formosa area."

Chou's brief statement was handed out outside the conference room. Later, Chinese Communist officials declined to clear up such key questions as whether it would be transmitted officially to the U.S. government and whether any other country would be included in the proposed negotiations.

Many non-Communist diplomats here said the statement bore many elements of propaganda and may have been worded ambiguously to influence Asian and African opinion in Chou's favor.

'Settle by Peaceful Means'

Chou had signified his intention to negotiate on Formosa in his 45-minute address this morning. Remaining seated and speaking slowly in Chinese, the Red leader declared: "Let China and the United States settle their common problems by peaceful means."

"China does not want war with the United States and if any one of you can help reduce tension, please do so. We would be grateful."

The address to the political committee's main conference forum climaxed Chou's conciliatory attitude since the conference opened Monday. Despite "needing" from pro-Western delegates, he maintained a restrained air.

One of the delegates said after today's speech that Chou "was as quiet and as docile as a lamb."

Chou offered at the meeting his seven-point "peace declaration" with a preamble which said:

"Taking cognizance of the fact that present world tension is impairing international co-operation and harmony;

"Recognizing the desire of the peoples of the world for a solid and lasting peace and for the development of friendly relations between nations;

"With a view to achieve and maintain the independence and freedom of the Asian and African countries, and

"With a view to safeguard and strengthen world peace declares:

Seven-Point Declaration

"1. We Asian and African countries are determined to promote mutual and common interests and to live together in peace and friendly co-operation with one another on the basis of respect for each other's sovereignty and territorial integrity.

"2. Abstention from committing aggression and directing threats against each other.

"3. Abstention from interfering or intervention in the internal affairs of one another.

"4. Recognition of the equality of all nations, large and small.

"5. Respect for the right of the people of all countries to choose freely their way of life as well as their political and economic system.

"6. Abstention from doing damage to one another."

First Smile in Week

Chou brushed into the meeting—surrounded by his usual heavy bodyguard. Reporters asked him if he had anything good to say. For the first time at the almost week-old conference the stern-faced Chinese smiled.

His bodyguard cut off reporters and Chou went into the meeting room.

Sir John Koteawala, the prime minister of Ceylon, arrived hurriedly at the meeting place and was asked how things were.

"I am feeling fine," Sir John said. "It is very good."

Earlier, Pakistan's prime minister, Mohammed Ali had told correspondents that Chou had authorized him at the luncheon attended by the leaders of India, Ceylon, Burma, Indonesia, Philippines and Pakistan, to give out a statement before the committee.

"It is a very good statement," Ali said.

BUT BARABOO BRASS IS UNHAPPY

'Oink, Oink' All Over Town Is Not Pigs, It's the Kids

BARABOO, Wis. (UP) — Irate citizens of Baraboo cooled off somewhat today in their dispute with comedian Danny Thomas but still think he should explain they don't "oink."

The city council, the chamber of commerce and Mayor Duane Peck all are taking exception to some of the remarks Thomas will make in his filmed "Make Room for Daddy" show April 26. The Thomas film contains

such cracks about Baraboo as "Your mother's home town don't even have electricity yet. I'll bet they're waiting to see if it's gonna catch on," and "These people don't talk. They oink."

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Seems China's willin' t' talk with th' States after talkin' at 'em fer so long. Guess th' Chou's on th' other foot.

Ever'body seems t' hev power but th' commission.

Oh well. Guess y' can't hev warm winters AN' warm summers.



IN PARLIAMENT

New Westminster MP Charges Soap Companies With Unfair Practices

(From CP and BUP Dispatches)

Unfair business practices have been charged against two big Canadian soap companies.

George Hahn, Social Credit member for New Westminster and a grocery store owner, said Friday there is virtually a combine between two soap companies.

"They control the soap business of the country. They control soap supply. I am speaking of Lever Brothers and Procter & Gamble."

He said there should be an examination of "their unfair practices," which would determine whether they grant small merchants the same benefits given chain stores.

The speech by Mr. Hahn was made as the budget debate went uneventfully through its third day.

Mr. Hahn, who said later he is selling out his New Westminster store, charged that chain stores get the breaks over small merchants through quantity and advertising discounts.

"The small merchant is always on the short end of the stick. He never has a chance to become and remain competitive with these large chain merchants who are only concerned with one thing, the elimination of the little man."

Declared 'Peddlars of Gloom'

A Liberal Member of Parliament accused the Opposition Friday of being "peddlars of gloom" on unemployment, and a Socialist said he had the answer to it.

William Houck, L-Niagara Falls, rapped opposition critics for harping on unemployment during the budget debate. He said he wasn't ready to "give the country back to the Indians."

British Columbia socialist H. W. Herridge insisted that "unemployment is our major domestic problem," but said it and the deficit financing called for in new budget could be beaten by "planned public investment" by all levels of government.

He proposed that "the collective and personal credit of all Canadians" be used to carry out public works and other employment-providing projects.

'Greatest Trading Nation in World'

John Dickey (Lib.-Halifax), parliamentary assistant to Trade and Commerce Minister C. D. Howe, accused Opposition members Friday of belittling Canada's position by describing it as a nation of "hewers of wood and drawers of water."

He referred to Earl Rowe, PC, Dufferin-Simcoe, and George Hees, PC, Toronto-Broadview, as saying in and outside the Commons that Canada ships an "unduly large" amount of her raw materials to factories in other countries, when our own factories could be doing the work.

"Canada is the greatest trading nation in the world on a per capita basis," Dickey said, and has become so through production of better and cheaper products.

He admitted this country is "a great storehouse" of raw materials, but on the whole we are "net importers of industrial raw materials."

In 1953, he said, Canada imported \$550,000,000 worth of raw materials and exported \$300,000,000. Two-thirds of the country's exports were of fully or semi-manufactured goods, while only one-third of our exports were of raw materials.

Of the latter, Dickey said, all but about 15 per cent were agricultural, vegetable and animal products.

Anyone saying Canada should reduce its exports of raw materials means the country would have to work on cutting "a mere 15 per cent of our export trade" or reducing such shipments as wheat.

"Nothing could possibly be further from the facts," Dickey said, that resources development in Canada was the "poor relation" of other industries.

It gave work to 1,600,000 Canadians, or 31.9 per cent of the labor force, produced 34 per cent of the country's \$19,000,000,000 income, and accounted for almost two-thirds of the \$5,000,000,000 investment in Canada for the year.

The government was criticized Friday night for not reducing the cost of dying. J. Angus MacLean (PC-Queens) said the budget should have proposed cuts in the sales tax on coffins, hearses and even flowers.

It was foolish for the government to enlarge its revenue at the expense of bereaved families. A death today was a catastrophe from a financial viewpoint.

Federal authorities waited today to hear from the Nova Scotia administration about a plan they submitted to put a

shut-down coal colliery at Glace Bay, N.S., back to work.

Mines Minister George Prud'homme said Friday that federal experts had sent a plan to the provincial government, the Dominion Steel and Coal Company and the Union Local to make use of the No. 1-B colliery. He didn't elaborate on the plan.

Prud'homme said in answer to a question by Clarie Gillis (CCF-Cape Breton South) that no representations had been received from the provincial government seeking to relinquish control over the coal mining operations.

Liberal and CCF members of the estimates committee Friday protested the wide gap in wages for hospital maids in Halifax and Vancouver.

Veterans Minister Lapointe distributed a paper showing that maids employed at Camp Hill Veterans' Hospital in Halifax are paid between \$876 and \$1,056 a year while maids at Shaughnessy Veterans' Hospital in Vancouver are paid between \$1,560 and \$1,740 a year for the same work.

"This doesn't seem right to me," said William Bryce, CCF-Selkirk. "The government, of all people, should be the ones to equalize wages across the country. Vancouver people are not so much better than everybody else."

Colin Cameron, CCF-Nanaimo, said: "No one can tell me it costs twice as much to live in Vancouver as it does in Halifax."

Monday Rites For F. W. Gibbons, City Yachtsman

Funeral service for Frederick William Gibbons, well-known local yachtsman and naval veteran who died Friday, will be held Monday from Hayward's chapel.

Mr. Gibbons, who was 42, had been ill for seven months. A native of London, Eng., he was employed here by the CPR.

Mr. Gibbons was a member of the Royal Victoria Yacht Club and the Capital City Yacht Club.

Besides his wife, Ann, at the residence, 2701 Arbutus Road, he leaves one son, Tommy; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gibbons; two sisters, Mrs. E. Pears and Mrs. F. Smith, all of Victoria.

Interment will be in Royal Oak.

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Now for chicken — Phil Yazdzik starts in on a fried chicken eating marathon in Detroit today.

Phil Yazdzik starts in on a fried chicken eating marathon in Detroit today. The day before in Chicago, Phil set a new hamburger eating record. How about a couple of eggs, Phil?

Four Million West Germans Go To Polls Sunday

HANNOVER (AP)—Some 4,000,000 West Germans will vote Sunday in the Bonn republic's last election under the Allied occupation.

Voters of Lower Saxony name a new state parliament in an election that could have an important effect on Chancellor Konrad Adenauer's rearmament plans.

The results in this state will determine whether Adenauer is to have sufficient strength in house of parliament to push through the mass of laws needed to implement the rearmament treaties.

CROSS-COUNTRY CHOP

Fast Trains Come With Fast Time

Victorians who may be planning to cross Canada at vacation-time this year will find CPR and CNR trains have cut what amounts to one night from the run—biggest schedule chop in the history of both roads.

Actually, the CPR Toronto-Vancouver run will be 15½ hours faster than before. The CNR cuts 12½ hours from the same run.

To speed the service, provide a new reality in railway comfort and most of all hold passengers who might be tempted to fly, each of the railways will unveil new super-trains on Sunday.

Introduction of the trains, CPR's "The Canadian" and CNR's "Super Continental" was announced almost simultaneously by the companies some months ago. They go into daily operation as most of Canada switches to Daylight Saving Time.

The Canadian boasts skyline coaches, a dome coach coffee shop, an all-stainless steel exterior, wired music and a public address system.

CNR's Super Continental has foam rubber seats, wide picture windows, coil spring suspension, roller bearings and anti-sway devices.

Charge Laid In Portland Bomb Slaying

Victim's Wife One of Accused

PORTLAND (AP)—First-degree murder charges were filed Friday against an electrician and the wife of a Portland lawyer killed in the bombing of his car at a country club Thursday night.

Charged in the slaying of Oliver K. Smith, 35, was Victor Lawrence Wolf, 45, and Mrs. Marjorie Smith, 35.

District Attorney William Langley said Wolf signed a confession that the slaying had been plotted by him and Mrs. Smith for several months.

Mrs. Smith denied any part in the slaying, Langley said. The two had been questioned since early morning after a ripping blast in the car killed Smith.

Langley quoted Wolf, a railroad electrician, as saying that the plot started after Mrs. Smith and the lawyer had been divorced in August, 1953.

The district attorney said Wolf, in his confession, related: Wolf and Mrs. Smith decided that she should remarry the attorney and kill him for \$20,000 worth of insurance he carried.

They were remarried last February, and in March Wolf tried to do away with Smith by assaulting him in the family garage.

Later he obtained from a friend in Washington State eight sticks of dynamite, which he used in the bombing. He purchased a gun last week but could not get up the courage to use it, so he decided on the bombing.

Holger Christofferson, sheriff's chief criminal deputy, said a pair of burned dangling wires in the demolished car provided a vital clue. Wire found in Wolfe's car matched the type, he said, although for a time the electrician denied knowing how it got there.

FOR 'ALL THE PEOPLE'

Ike Thanks Jonas Salk

WASHINGTON (AP)—Kings and conquering generals have received less attention than the White House gave Friday to Dr. Jonas E. Salk and his family as they arrived to receive from President Eisenhower the thanks of a grateful people.

Stenographers peered through doorways. Presidential aides came out of their offices for a look. Chief aide Sherman Adams, sometimes said to be harder to reach than the president himself, came into the lobby, crouched down and had a chat with the doctor's three sons.

CITATION

Eisenhower had a citation for Salk: "Historic contribution to human welfare . . . a benefactor of mankind."

There was another for Basil O'Connor, president of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis—and a tribute by the Republican president to his Democratic predecessor, Franklin D. Roosevelt, for starting the foundation and for "personal courage in overcoming the handicap of poliomyelitis."

Before the presentation Eisenhower, who lost a son in childhood and who now has three grandchildren, took off his glasses and spoke a few words not written on any paper.

"Dr. Salk," he said, in a voice that cracked a little with emotion, "before I hand you this citation, I should like to say to you that when I think of the thousands of American parents—and grandparents—who are hereafter to be spared the agonizing fears of the annual epidemic of poliomyelitis—"

The president paused and started over again. "When I think of all the agony that these people will be spared, seeing their loved ones suffering in bed, I must say to you I have no words in which adequately to express the thanks of myself and all the people I know—all 164,000,000 Americans, to say nothing of all the people in the world that will profit from your discovery."

The RCAF party ended a night-long vigil for two RCMP constables and two employees of the B.C. forest service.

The men had spent Thursday night without shelter at the foot of the slope where the RCAF craft crashed, killing three men and injuring two others.

A public works bulldozer will attempt to plow a path as near the accident scene as possible today to assist workers in removing the bodies.

The RCAF ground party, which trekked on snowshoes over two miles of Santa Rosa, said the twin-rotored Piasaki 'copter sheared off tree tops before it destroyed itself on the fog-shrouded mountainside.

Santa Rosa summit is 20 miles west of here. RCAF investigators were expected from Edmonton.

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Indo-China Compromise?

SAIGON, Indo-China (UP)—Premier Ngo Dinh Diem called today for a nation-wide referendum and general elections in an effort to stay in power against the combined opposition of rebellious war lords.

70 Red Chevrons Recall Ypres With Banquet

By AB KENT

An exclusive and ever-diminishing group of men gathered Friday night in Loughheed's Banquet Hall on the 40th anniversary of their winning fame among the Allies for their achievement at the second battle of Ypres, April 22, 1915.

The Red Chevrons Association, composed of Canadian soldiers who went overseas with the First Division before December 31, 1914, re-lived their battle experiences at their anniversary banquet, attended by 70 Vancouver Island members.

The second battle of Ypres was the first engagement of widespread significance for Canadian troops in the First World War and "made" Canada's name overseas.

German forces were repulsed at great loss to Canadian forces who "hung on by their eyeballs" in the face of chaotic conditions among other Allied forces in the same battle.

Col. J. N. Edgar, who went overseas with the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry in the First World War and commanded a battalion of Pats in the Second World War, was guest speaker and outlined organization of the First World War division.

He also detailed the progress of the Ypres engagement, the first one in which German forces used poison gas against the Allies.

Col. Edgar was thanked by Major William Murston, MM.

Entertainment was presented by Major George Harrison's "Versatiles" concert group.

Show for Hospital

Jerry Gosley's Smile Show performed for patients at the T.B. Pavilion, Royal Jubilee Hospital, Thursday. Participants were baritone John Dunbar, Thelma Bavin, Shannon McClean, Micky Rogers, Ron Gleaves and soprano Eleanor Duff.

The sects immediately turned down Diem's proposal and again demanded his resignation. The rejection came in a broadcast communique from the sects' "National Front." The communique also accused Diem of offering sect leaders \$2,800,000 if they would rally to his government.

NERVOUS CAPITAL

The American-backed premier spoke from the nervous capital city in a dramatic radio appeal at 8 a.m. It was an offer to compromise with his armed enemies.

He called for a four-point national referendum on the major political questions of South Viet Nam and on the "definite consolidation of our independence."

ELECTIONS ANNOUNCED

He also announced general elections within three or four months to elect Viet Nam's first representative national assembly.

Finally he asked the rebellious Binh Xuyen and Hoa Hao sects to negotiate with him on unifying the army. He offered them financial help when French aid ends to their auxiliary troops.

While Diem sought to end the civil war, trigger-nervous patrols of both sides roamed the streets of Saigon ready to shoot at any provocation.

NO GIVE-AWAY OF ISLANDS—SAYS TAIPEI

TAIPEI, Formosa (AP)—High officials of Nationalist China said Friday the United States at no time has so much as hinted the government should yield the off-shore islands of Quemoy and the Matsus in the interests of peace with Red China.

They said, furthermore, if such a suggestion is being brought here by Admiral Arthur W. Radford and Walter S. Robertson, Far Eastern specialist of the U.S. state department, it is to be regarded in advance as "absurd, ridiculous-unthinkable-impossible."

Admiral Radford, chairman of the U.S. joint chiefs of staff, and Robertson are due Sunday for talks with President Chiang Kai-shek.

O.C. SOCCER

LONDON (Reuters)—Results of soccer games today in the United Kingdom:

ENGLISH LEAGUE

Division I
Arsenal 2, Manchester U. 3.
Burnley 0, Sunderland 1.
Cardiff C. 1, Portsmouth 1.
Chelsea 3, Sheffield W. 0.
Everton 2, Charlton A. 2.
Leicester C. 2, Tottenham H. 0.
Manchester C. 1, Blackpool 6.
Newcastle U. 0, Bolton W. 0.
Preston N.E. 0, Aston Villa 3.
Sheffield U. 1, Wolverhampton W. 2.
W. Bromwich 2, Huddersfield T. 1.

Division II

Birmingham C. 1, Notts County 1.
Bury 4, West Ham 1.
Hull City 1, Doncaster R. 1.
Ipswich T. 1, Swansea T. 1.
Leeds U. 2, Blackburn R. 0.
Lincoln City 3, Derby C. 0.
Luton Town 4, Port Vale 2.
Middlesbrough 1, Liverpool 2.
Nottingham F. 2, Fulham 0.
Rotherham U. 2, Plymouth A. 0.

Division III

Northern
Accrington S. 3, Darlington 0.
Barnsley 3, Carlisle U. 1.
Bradford City 0, Chester 0.
Halifax T. 0, Bradford 0.
Mansfield T. 0, Gateshead 1.
Oldham A. 4, Grimsby Town 0.
Scunthorpe U. 3, Crewe Alex 1.
Southport 0, Transmere R. 0.
Workington 0, Hartlepool 1.
Wrexham 0, Chesterfield 2.
York City 2, Rochdale 0.
Barrow 2, Stockport 0.

Southern
Brentford 3, Watford 2.
Brighton 1, Bournemouth 1.
Bristol C. 0, Newport C. 0.
Coventry C. 0, Northampton T. 0.
Gillingham 1, Southend U. 1.
Leyton O. 1, Aldershot 5.
Millwall 1, Swindon T. 0.
Reading 1, Norwich C. 1.
Shrewsbury T. 2, Colchester U. 0.
Southampton 2, Crystal P. 2.

Torquay U. 3, Queen's P. R. 2.
Walsall 1, Exeter City 0.

Amateur International

England 3, Wales 1.
Scottish Cup Final
Celtic 1, Clyde 1.

Scottish League

Division A
Aberdeen 3, Ralith R. 2.
Falkirk 2, East Fife 2.

Division B

Airdrieonians 4, Queen's P. 2.
Ayr U. 1, Dunfermline A. 1.
Brechin C. 2, Third Lanark 1.
Cowdenbeath 3, Dundee U. 1.
Hamilton A. 1, Stenhousemuir 1.
St. Johnstone 2, Forfar A. 0.

Irish Cup Final

Dundela 3, Glenavon 0.

Irish League

Division I
Birmingham C. 1, Notts County 1.
Bury 4, West Ham 1.
Hull City 1, Doncaster R. 1.
Ipswich T. 1, Swansea T. 1.
Leeds U. 2, Blackburn R. 0.
Lincoln City 3, Derby C. 0.
Luton Town 4, Port Vale 2.
Middlesbrough 1, Liverpool 2.
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Track will be operated by Colwood Park Association, will have 14 days racing between Sept. 24 and Oct. 10. Stables at site are nearing completion. (Times Photo by Bill Halkett.)

Drug Hearings Produce Proof Change Needed

VANCOUVER (CP)—The special Senate committee on narcotics will recommend sweeping changes in Canada's system of combating addiction, Senator Thomas Reid said here Friday night.

Senator Reid is chairman of the 11-man travelling committee, first of its kind ever to sit outside Ottawa. The group completed a week-long investigation in Vancouver with a trip through suburban Oakalla prison farm, interviewing addicts.

"Merely putting addicts in jail is not enough," Senator Reid said in an interview. "The great increase in the number of addicts in this country gives the lie to that."

"The present system is not a success, that is definite. Some drastic changes and recommendations are required."

Committee members were scheduled to start back to Ottawa today. The inquiry resumes there May 3.

Senator Reid said his committee expects to make its recommendations to the federal government in late June or July.

In addition to recommending new ways to cope with the country's drug problem, he said, he hopes the committee inquiry "can remove from the Senate the stigma that it is a group of decrepit old men doing nothing."

At Oakalla, the committee interviewed six volunteers from among the 150 narcotics addicts imprisoned there.

Questions and answers went back and forth through a heavy wire screen.

Committee members said the addicts reacted with resentment as if they considered it an injustice to be thrown into jail for having the drug habit, considering it no more a crime "than taking whisky or soda pop."

SHE FOOLED INSURANCE EXPERTS

STONY BROOK, N.Y. (AP)—Pessimists, consider the case of Miss Julia Henrietta Sherry, who took out an "old age" annuity in 1934 when she was 79.

Miss Sherry will be 100 years old Sunday. She has realized \$9,634.59 on her \$3,000 investment 21 years ago.

Agent Guilty Of Violating Agreement

Wesley Foreman, 64, former Victoria real estate agent, was convicted in County Court Thursday on a charge of breach of trust with regard to a real estate deal in Saanich.

Judge J. B. Clearhue gave Foreman suspended sentence, providing the accused posts a \$500 bond of one surety for one year and pays back a sum of \$177 to Arthur and Isabel Jones.

Foreman was convicted of a breach of trust by mortgaging real property of the Jones for his own use.

Foreman was found not guilty on two other counts involving the same real estate transaction.

Passengers Shaken In Bus Collision

Several passengers received split lips and minor bruises Friday when a Trans-Canada Airlines bus was in collision with a wood truck on Pat Bay Highway.

All continued on their way in another bus following the collision.

Central Saanich Police Chief Fred Brownlee said the bus was following a woodtruck headed toward the airport when the truck slowed as a car ahead turned into a driveway. The bus was unable to stop quick enough to avert collision.

Damage to the bus was set at close to \$500 and to the truck at \$50.

TO OAK BAY BOYS

\$12,000 Scout Hall Given by Kiwanis

Representatives of three Oak Bay Boy Scout-Wolf Cub groups were present Friday night when Oak Bay Kiwanis presented the municipality with a new Scout Hall. Altogether, about 250 youngsters will use the new premises.

The \$12,000 hall was presented to Oak Bay by the clubmen who collected more than \$7,000 for its construction.

Kiwanis president Colin Mooney presented keys to the hall to Oak Bay Reeve Fred Norris. A crowd of 200 Kiwanis members and residents were present also for the ceremony.

Late in May or early June a second ceremony will be held when the council presents the hall to the scouts. Council will retain the power of permitting use of the hall for other purposes when it is not required for scout use.

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Poison Gas Story A-Bomb Parallel?

OTTAWA (BUP)—The 40th anniversary of the first time poison gas ever was used in warfare against Canadian troops was seen by George Drew as reason for hope that terrible nuclear weapons never would be unleashed on the world.

Drew, leader of the Progressive Conservative party and a colonel in the First World War, spoke Friday night at the 35th annual reunion dinner of the Red Chevrons Club, of Ottawa. They were commemorating the stand of the Canadian Division at Ypres on April 22, 1915, when the Germans unleashed poison gas.

Then, Drew said, "the world

saw the beginning of the relentless and unlimited type of warfare which has moved step by step to the hydrogen bomb."

"There is reason for encouragement as we remember the history of the development of poison gas from that day on," he said.

The enemy and the Allies had stockpiled it, but now, "even if war should come, we could remember with hope the unused stores of deadly gases, which were destroyed at the end of the Second World War," he said.

"Perhaps that gives us some reason to believe that men with any lingering sense of humanity would hesitate to employ weapons such as they now possess."



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On Ottawa's Doorstep

IT WOULD BE UNFAIR TO judge in advance the fiscal policies that Mr. Bennett will lay before a federal-provincial conference in the autumn. But in preparation for the exploratory conference between provincial premiers in Ottawa a few days hence Mr. Bennett and various colleagues indicate that they will seek more money for British Columbia in the federal treasury.

Mr. Bonner, for example, has lately been reviving the old fallacy that the Federal Government is taking too much money out of British Columbia and not spending enough here. The mathematical facts, when last assembled, showed clearly that the Federal Government is spending more than it is collecting in British Columbia.

What if it were collecting more than it spent? Does Mr. Bonner still imagine that the money collected by any national government in this province really belongs to British Columbia and is granted to the nation as a matter of generosity and grace? Of course it is money belonging to the nation, to be spent precisely where and how the nation's Parliament decides—a Parliament containing full representation from British Columbia.

The national tax rates are the same everywhere (except for the present stop-gap arrangement in Quebec where the Federal Government has made certain concessions to relieve the double-taxed taxpayers, the victims of Mr. Duplessis, and where it is paying none of the subsidies enjoyed by the other nine provinces.)

Hence because British Columbia is a rich province, as Mr. Bennett is never tired of pointing out, those same tax rates necessarily yield a relatively high revenue here. We have no right to complain of that, especially as something more than the collection returns to us in federal expenditure.

Actually, British Columbia struck a particularly profitable bargain with Ottawa when Mr. John Hart negotiated the existing federal-provincial tax arrangements. Mr. Bennett cannot hope to get more money by any other method, unless he is prepared to increase our local taxes still more, after his many increases.

He has been talking vaguely about some new system by which the Federal Government would raise special extra revenues to provide subsidies for the provinces, instead of taking this money out of the existing revenues.

This simple solution may appeal to taxpayers who do not stop to think. A moment's thought will show them that if the Federal Government raises any new revenues for any purpose whatever it must levy them on all Canadians, and British Columbians will pay their share of the added cost one way or another. Since we are a rich province and our income relatively high, we shall feel the bite of those levies more sharply than our poorer neighbors.

There is no escape for us, no method by which the Bennett Government can dodge the cost of the huge budgets already imposed on this province and no use crying on Ottawa's doorstep.

Above a Legalistic Wrangle

SAANICH COUNCIL MEMBERS and Saanich residents have shown clearly that they do not want a fairground or race track at Beaver Lake.

They do, on the other hand, favor use of the area for park purposes—not the kind of park which includes Ferris wheels and hurdy-gurdies, but the type which offers recreation and relaxation in simple outdoor activity.

The site lost its suitability for a fairground once the residents had objected to that development, and once the council members and town planners supported their protests.

It is a waste of time for city and racing interests to discuss legalities on this point for the simple reason that no city or municipality can wish off on one of its neighbors a fairground-race track which the neighbors do not want.

No civic body should know that better than Victoria. The city has been all through the wretched experience of trying to maintain a fairground-race track outside its own boundaries in territory where it was not welcome. What happened eventually at the Willows, besides creating intermunicipal discord, will happen wherever similar conditions exist.

Abandonment of Beaver Lake plans by fairground-race track interests would not, of course, prevent re-establishment of a major exhibition. There is other land available

for such purposes and the project, under any circumstances, should receive the joint support and co-operation of all of Greater Victoria.

The very proper suggestion has been made by Saanich councillors that Beaver Lake be reserved for purely park purposes. The area is already under the jurisdiction of the Victoria-Saanich beaches and parks committee—one of the few intermunicipal bodies which has shown a high capacity for co-operation in former years.

If the best use is to be made of the region, that authority should be expanded to include Oak Bay and Esquimalt. Residents of all these municipalities take pleasure in the recreational facilities already available at Beaver Lake and would find opportunity for continued enjoyment if it were retained indefinitely in a form as close as possible to that of a natural park.

The actual property is owned by the city. Geographically it lies in Saanich. From a point of use, however, it is a park for everybody in the community. And it is one of the few places on the lower Island where the public can enjoy warm bathing and the amenities of relatively wild land. There are too few such locations. In the years to come, with increased population, they will be needed even more than they are required now.

To Soothe the Savage Breast

MUSIC HAS LONG SINCE ENTERED premises where it might not ordinarily be expected. It has invaded street cars and busses, department stores and even, until protests stifled it, New York's Grand Central Station.

All such incursions were, of course, for the pleasure of the temporarily captive audiences, or what the sponsors considered their pleasure should be. But music now steps out of that category and becomes a medical technique.

Increasing use is being made of music as an aid to the treatment of physical as well as mental illness. It may be remembered that some years ago a tune swept Europe that had the magical property of making its

listeners crave suicide. Dozens of deaths were credited to the depressing effects of the song. But the opposite can also be true.

Music can soothe and cheer, it can aid the psychiatrist in opening the mind of his patient, it can help the anaesthetist in putting his patient softly to rest.

If the present trend continues, there is every likelihood that music will accompany all our waking moments, and even invade our sleep. We will bathe, dress, eat, work and play to music. There will be no escape.

And it will be a pretty terrible world for people who hate even melodious trespasses on a normal and healthful silence.

The Good Old Days of Vaudeville

BY MARGARET ROBBINS, From London

I WONDER how many recall the circuit vaudeville in the old Pantages Theatre on Government Street? Or the amateur turns put on by Reg Hinks and Ernie Petch and the rest in the old Playhouse across from the Capital on Yates Street? Ghosts of the 1920's they are now. The talkies knocked vaudeville out of all but the biggest centres, and now TV threatens to finish the job.

But maybe not—not if the English music hall stays as lively as it was in the Norman Wisdom show at the Palladium. The same old variety is there, but smoother and more expert than anything we had seen before, and with comedy mixed into practically every turn.

The jugglers, the tumblers, the musical trio all drew laughs as well as gasps, and a mournful panel in a "shaggy dog" act brought down the house with

his trained inability to do anything right. Ballet seems to have had some influence. Every act was introduced after a dance routine opening of smart chorus girls and brilliant sets and costumes.

As for Norman Wisdom himself, the little man is good, very good. He can dance, sing, play piano and drums, tumble and clown. And he has that important hallmark of the clown, a distinctive style.

His tight and ill-fitting suit and cap and strutting walk may yet become as well known as Chaplin's baggy pants and moustache. He hasn't that odd wistfulness, but he has a perky little-man-against-the-big-world-of-authority air that captivates everybody.

The Londoners love him. Opinions will differ as to whether he is another Dan Leno or Chaplin. Perhaps it's too

As Our Readers See It

TEETH AND DECAY

Bruce Hutchison, speaking on fluoridation, in the issue of April 19 states that the public will finally accept, on a technical subject, the opinion of men who happen to know what they are talking about. Fair enough!

So if you will play fair, Mr. Editor, let us quote briefly from the Dr. Alvarez column of April 18, since the aim, and end of fluoridation is sound teeth for children. To quote in part, "Sweets, and sweet drinks, and sugar are well proven as the cause of cavities." "Best teeth in the world—people of Tristan d'Acuna—no steady diet of flour—no milk." "When savages with sound teeth turned to white man's food; starches, and sugar—within a few years nothing but fangs left in their mouths." And I venture to assert that in every single case history of Poliomyelitis, it will be found that over-indulgence in refined foods, flour, and sugar, and milk was the primary prevailing cause; the cause too of the common cold.

S. A. WHITFIELD.

R.R.I. Langford.

MAN AND GOD

Candid, in the letter "Future of Religion," refers to the theistic idea of God incorrectly when he says that it is a personification of non-personal phenomena. To the theist God is a personality, not a personification, the Creator Whom reason logically looks for when observing non-personal phenomena.

Candid speaks of modern controversy. Does he know that nineteen hundred years ago the apostle Paul spoke of the "oppositions of science falsely so-called." There was true and false science in that day as there is today. Does he realize that science and Christianity operate in different fields, that there are natural realities and spiritual realities? The true scientist recognizes this. Does he not grasp the significance of the historical fact that the Man known to His contemporaries as Jesus of Nazareth, died, was buried, and rose again from the dead, all in accordance with His own prediction? Unbelievers at one time denied the historicity of the resurrection. Today most of them are too well informed to do this so simply ignore its implications.

History does not justify the confidence that Candid seems to have in man, but, having made man his god I suppose he must make the best of him.

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MR. BENNETT'S BRIDGE

Reports of an \$8,000,000 suspension bridge to be constructed across one-and-a-half miles of Okanagan Lake between Kelowna and Westbank bring the inevitable question to mind. Will the bridge pay for itself, or perhaps more important, will it pay its way each year?

Consideration of the figures involved should throw some light on the question. At 6 per cent interest per annum, \$8,000,000 would earn \$480,000. Therefore, without taking into consideration the annual cost of operation, maintenance, and repairs to such a structure, the bridge would have to earn about half a million dollars per annum in order to break even.

A minimum of 480,000 crossings by vehicles at an average of \$1 per crossing would be required each year to offset the interest alone. Is such a volume of traffic to be expected?

At present there are, I believe, three ferries serving the traffic across the lake. It is my recollection from having traveled the route a few times, that the ferries average about ten vehicles per trip, and that they leave each side every 20 minutes. If this were a continuous service, every twenty minutes, day and night throughout the year, and full loads were carried each trip, a total of about 526,000 vehicles would have been transported across the lake during one year by the present ferries.

If this is the volume of traffic to be expected, where will the money come from to pay for bridge operation, maintenance, and repairs?

Would it not be more feasible to improve the winding, treacherous road between Penticton and Westbank, add another ferry slip at Westbank and at Kelowna, and place two more ferries in service to take care of increased traffic that might result?

Or as an alternative why not build a highway from Penticton to Kelowna on the east side of the lake? Surely the latter would cost less than a bridge, and it would serve the additional purpose of opening up new areas for development. The mayor of Penticton seems to favor the latter plan, and he must be in as good a position as anyone to judge.

Is it too late to put a stop to this apparently impractical bridge venture, or must we stand helplessly by and allow \$8,000,000 of our money to be wasted?

If we have any say in the matter, it had best be said before June 15th when tenders are to be called.

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LOOSE ENDS

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

A Day With the World's Richest Man

MY neighbor, Mr. Horace Snifkin, came over here last night, in an excited state of mind, to announce that he had discovered the richest man in the world, living peacefully among us but, unfortunately quite insane.

Mr. Snifkin said he had met this stranger on our country road, leaning on a gate and observing the spring flowers inside the fence.

The garden, Mr. Snifkin had always understood, belonged to a certain gentleman who shall be nameless. But the stranger said it belonged to him. Mr. Snifkin congratulated his new acquaintance on the thrifty purchase of a valuable property, but the stranger said he did not bought it. He merely owned it.

At this Mr. Snifkin took a harder look at this curious person and found him to be an old man, of ruddy, cheerful face and somewhat shabbily dressed. Right then, Mr. Snifkin says, he began to think the fellow a trifle crazy or drunk, though he seemed sober enough and talked like a man of education.

While Mr. Snifkin was considering this problem the stranger pointed at the house inside the garden, where the legal owner was to be observed, through the window, glued to a television set.

You see, said the stranger, that unfortunate man only imagines that he owns the garden and the flowers, but of course he doesn't. He may have looked away in some safety deposit a legal document proclaiming his ownership, but it is purely fictitious, having behind it only the force of law. The only real owners of the flowers, he explained, were men like himself who could enjoy them—and, he added, with a mischievous sparkle, the true owners could enjoy them without the cost of a dollar or an hour's work.

Actual ownership, he said, always came free, despite the law, which, in his opinion, continued as in Dickens' time to be an ass.

For example, he went on, pointing at the man in the window, many people imagined that they owned television sets but that was absurd. No one ever owned even so poor a thing as this mechanical box. The box was owned not by any man but by shadows hurrying across a screen. And after a while the shadows also owned the purchaser of the box, who became their slave while living things moved about outside, entirely ignored by the man at the window.

After this explanation the stranger said he must be off to inspect his other properties which were extensive and at this time of year required a good deal of supervision. Mr. Snifkin, having nothing better to do, offered to accompany the inspector and they strolled about for the rest of the afternoon like co-owners of a vast estate.

The rich stranger pointed, with an air of apparent sanity, to the blue hills in the west and remarked that he and a few others like him had owned them since childhood, had first acquired their title deeds by many rambles in the forest but now were too old to climb these heights. However, their ownership was safe so long as they lived and had eyes to see.

It was rather pitiable, he added, that some other men spent all their lives, their money and their labor to possess those distant forests, to cut them down and profit by them when he could own them without lifting a hand.

Thus Mr. Snifkin and the stranger wandered along several miles of land and roadway, pausing now and then to examine some special item in the stranger's sprawling domain: a hill of daffodils, a billow of plum blossom, a thrust of mossy rock or some snug cot-

tage nestled among the yellow primroses.

When Mr. Snifkin admired any particular item, the stranger gave it to him. After a stroll of several hours Mr. Snifkin found himself owning two ranges of mountains, some miles of seashore, a score of lovely gardens and enough timber to keep a large sawmill going for a long time.

NONE of the legal owners objected to this transfer of property, so far as Mr. Snifkin could see, and none was consulted. This huge act of larceny, the stranger assured him, was quite legal and anyway nobody would ever hear of it. He said he had thus collected a treasure more valuable than the Bank of Canada and never been prosecuted for theft.

So at last they came to a tiny shack where the stranger lived amid a garden untended and running wild. It was quite unnecessary, the stranger said, for him to waste his time gardening when he owned so many other gardens maintained freely for his benefit by his unpaid slaves.

In his single disordered room the stranger served Mr. Snifkin with a cup of weak tea and a hunk of ancient cake and showed him what he called his only borrowings from the wealth of the world. These turned out to be a dozen books or so, rather ragged and obviously read many times. He said that of course no one could ever own a book but one might borrow their contents for a few years and then, on departing, hand them on to some other borrower.

BUT the stranger admitted, on saying good-bye to Mr. Snifkin, that he was sometimes oppressed by the responsibility of his wealth. It had come too easy and he doubted sometimes that he appreciated it enough.

Mr. Snifkin left him in his doorway, smiling at a scarlet clump of wild currant and evidently out of his mind. Yet on second thoughts, Mr. Snifkin wondered whom the police should lock up—the stranger or Mr. Snifkin.

TOWER OF BABEL AT BANDUNG?

By B. A. TOBIN

Chou Still Tries to Drive a Wedge

TWO striking facts emerge from the Asian-African conference now in session at Bandung, Indonesia. Called to deal chiefly with the question of colonialism, the 29-nation meeting has been vigorously reminded by several delegates that communism is a major force for colonialism.

The other fact is that Red China's Premier Chou En-lai is continuing with communism's Number One plan to try to split the Western allies.

The sessions to date have been marked by strong attacks on communism, despite the hope of India and other sponsors that this controversial topic would be avoided. The charge by Prime Minister Kotelawala of Ceylon that communism is colonial in nature, however, pushed the whole subject firmly into the agenda.

And a whole new aspect of colonialism—a twentieth century variant of a process that goes back into the dawn of history—was raised with the introduction of a resolution that linked "infiltration and subversion" along with force as methods of colonialism.

Criticism Expected

It must have been expected by Chou when he set out for the conference that he would run into some criticism of communism. But it could not have been part of his plan that he should be stirred into angry debate by charges made against the ideology he supports, nor that he should be forced at one point to stalk, grim-faced, from the conference chamber.

These breaks were quickly mended by the Chinese leader, who apparently is determined to present an agreeable and reasonable front to his Asian and African conferees. But the fact remains that there is a sizeable and vociferous anti-communist opinion among the Asians. These, and even more the neutral nations who could be swayed either left or right by Peiping's actions, should do much to deter future aggressions by Red China.

It was a Turkish delegate who challenged communist motives directly, and from the first-hand experience of his country warned against Marxist colonialism. "If it had not been for the protection of NATO," he declared, "Turkey would not be free, I would not be here."

At this juncture Prime Minister Nehru of India, who has made a point of stressing his neutrality, interrupted. "We should not take any sides in the cold war," he had told the delegates. "We do not approve the communist or the anti-communist powers... their policies are leading us to the brink of war."



PREMIER CHOU EN-LAI

But he appeared to abandon this fulcrum position with an immediate attack on the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, which includes Canada, as "one of the most powerful protectors of colonialism, though it was created for self defence."

For any nation of Asia to "degrade itself by becoming a camp follower of one or other of the power blocs" would be an "intolerable humiliation," Nehru declared.

In this reference he no doubt had in mind Pakistan, with which India has been at loggerheads ever since both countries achieved independence, and which recently effected a military agreement with the United States. Also rapped on the wrist was Turkey, a member of NATO.

The fallacy of Nehru's position lies in his assumption that the only way a nation can become associated with one or other of the power blocs is through its own free choice. For this is not true of the communist bloc. He appears to disregard the lesson of South Korea, which

only through the aid of the United Nations in a three years war escaped becoming a "camp follower" of the communists; or the case of Indo-China, the northern half of which already has been forced by war into that category.

One likelihood arising from the exchange of views at Bandung is that Red China will be moved to postpone active operations against Formosa or the offshore islands. The body of opinion against war in Asia has been well advertised and appears to include both anti-communist and neutral nations.

While Chou has made clear to the delegates his claims on Formosa and his intention of possessing it, he has also stressed the peaceful intent of Red China. An early foray against the islands would appear inconsistent and offend, if not directly frighten, many of his Asian conferees.

The U.S. Excluded

It is important to note, however, that in voicing his love for all humanity and China's wish to live at peace with other nations, Chou specifically excluded the United States. This obviously arose partly from his current struggle with that nation, and partly from the over-all communist policy of separating the U.S. both from its allies and the on-looker nations.

It will be remembered that it was Chou, at the Geneva conference last year, who took pains to point out that an Indo-China settlement had been achieved without American participation or approval. He is playing the same theme now. It not only is in close harmony with his other tune of "Asia for the Asians," but provides an accompaniment for the major Moscow-Peiping policy of divide and conquer.

Perhaps even more significant to the West than these details of the delegates' stands is the outstanding fact that there is no real "voice of Asia." The nations of that continent, as well as of Africa, are far from agreement on any major topic. They speak with a score of voices, reflect a score of interests, and apparently can achieve no more unanimity than any other group of equal numbers.

Seeking Fame, Fortune

LONDON—News of some of the Canadians over here in search of fame and fortune

LARRY EARL, whose wife is The Telegram's Jane Armstrong, goes from success to success in the writing game. Following his three non-fiction books which included the best-seller "Yangtze Incident" he has just sold his first novel to Collins. It's "The Frozen Jungle," set in the iron ore country up Labrador way.



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ARTHUR HILL, of Vancouver, scored a hit as one of the leads in "The Matchmaker," the Thornton Wilder play at the Haymarket Theatre. It has been running since last November and looks like continuing through the summer so that any Canadians over on a trip will be able to see not only Hill in action but also two other fellow countrymen—TIMOTHY FINDLEY of Toronto, and JOHN MILLIGAN, of Vancouver—who are in the play with him.

Hill's wife, PEGGY HASSARD, well known as one of the radio actresses in the Stage series out of Toronto, continues her radio work here mostly as a book reader on women's hour programs. Big chance, has come for Hill in his being given a good part in the new Vivian Leigh movie "The Deep Blue Sea" in Cinemascope.

PATTI LEWIS, Toronto pop singer, is on

the verge of hitting the big time here. Those in show business who have heard her have gone overboard for her and she's snowed under with contracts.

MONICA MUGAN, formerly very familiar radio voice to Torontonians, is now concentrating on fiction over here, selling regularly to the women's mags. Her husband, NORM PHILLIPS, is a staff writer with the picture-magazine Illustrated.

TED HOCKRIDGE went straight out of the London version of Guys And Dolls when it finished its run into the lead in Cole Porter's Can Can, still going strong after five months at the Coliseum. He has scored with records he made of numbers from Can Can and from Wonderful Town.

BOB FARNON continues to go places as composer-conductor-arranger.

GORDON TANNER gets his break in the London production of the Broadway hit The Desperate Hours, opening at the Hippodrome this month.

TED ALLAN certainly has the confidence of the BBC as a TV-playwright. They've just commissioned him (payment in advance) to write eight plays for them, first to be aired beginning of June. His stage play Legend of Peleto opens its London suburban try-out run at the end of May.

NICK STUART you'll be able to see on your screens as an air station commandant in the new British film The Night My Number Came up and LEE PATTERSON keeping a stiff upper lip in a mid-geet sub in Above Us The Waves.

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HONOR PERFORMANCE TONIGHT

Top Plays Selected In Drama Festival

By AUDREY ST.D. JOHNSON

Mrs. Yvonne Firkins, adjudicator for the Southern Vancouver Island Drama Festival, Friday night named "Nicomachus," presented by St. Andrew's Cathedral Drama Club; "Poor Madeline," a presentation of Intimate Stage, and "The Bust of Margo Jones" by Victoria Theatre Guild, as her choices for a repeat honor performance tonight.

These three were, in Mrs. Firkins' opinion, the best of those that had been during the evening sessions. They will next proceed to the zone final at Port Alberni in the middle of May.

Several awards will be made tonight at conclusion of the honor performance which takes place at 8 in the Oak Bay Junior High School auditorium.

During the evening three plays were adjudicated: a fantasy, a drama and a comedy. The original comedy which played its way into the finals.

"POSSESSION" By Lawrence Houston Presented by St. Luke's Players Joan Key, Susan Gibson, Doris Stewart, Susan Robinson, Margaret Carson, William James, Prior Key, Hannah, Blossom Johnston.

Mrs. Firkins found the arrangement of set most charming in this costume piece concerning life beyond the veil. She felt the cues were a little slow at the start, although this aspect improved as the play progressed. Interpretation of the characters had been true to descriptions given by the author, she commented, particularly in the case of Joan Key and Susan Gibson.

"LEGEND" By Philip Johnson Mrs. Reed, Grace Horgan, Mrs. Walters, Sheila Martin, Rev. Fallow, Walter A. Conder, The Strangers, Ron Duncan.

This was not a very happy choice Mrs. Firkins commented.



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THATCHER RESIGNATION NEW BLOW TO PARTY

CCF Embarrassed by Latest Indication of Internal Strife

By JOHN LEBLANC

OTTAWA (CP)—The CCF, troubled for months by internal squabbles, now has been quit publicly by one of its 24 Commons members.

Ross Thatcher, wealthy hardware store owner who persistently kicked over the Socialist party traces, proclaimed in the House Friday that he is leaving the group and will class himself as an Independent for the remainder of this Parliament.

They were indications the party brass regards this as something of a relief from embarrassments created by Mr. Thatcher's offbeat pronouncements on policies close to the CCF heart, but his move took the Socialist group—and the Commons in general—by surprise.

The 37-year-old Mr. Thatcher slipped in a quiet announcement at the House opening Friday—almost before members had settled in their seats—then quietly picked up his papers and left the House to get a train for Oshawa, Ont., and pick up a new automobile.

"Where are you rushing off to?" a reporter asked the Moose Jaw-Lake Centre MP.

"I'm going to Oshawa to pick up a new car," he replied.

"A Cadillac, I suppose," the reporter said.

"No, I'm a CCF'er—or am I? Well, it's not a Cadillac."

BOIL OF SPECULATION

The member for Saskatchewan's Moose Jaw-Lake Centre riding left behind a boil of speculation over his own political future and the effect on the CCF of this first party desertion by a Commons member since the Second World War.

While CCF leader Coldwell and other members of the CCF Commons group met the Thatcher withdrawal with equanimity, talk on Parliament Hill elsewhere turned quickly to the

internal trials that have beset the CCF in the last few months.

ONTARIO PURGE

It was only a few days ago that the Ontario wing of the party expelled 14 adherents as "Trotskyites," followers of the unorthodox brand of communism of revolutionary Leon Trotsky. That had repercussions in the Commons this week.

Earlier this year, Mr. Coldwell and other leaders had difficulty smoothing out a turmoil that arose in the Quebec section of the party over public statements by some of the Commons group which Quebec followers considered as reflecting on that province. Before a patching-up of relations, there were reports the Quebec segment might secede.

After this episode, in late January members of the Commons group went off in diametrically opposite directions on the question of admitting a rearmament West Germany into NATO.

APPROVES RESOLUTION

Mr. Coldwell approved a government resolution to this effect, a view differing from that of the governing body of the party he leads. Only a minority of his Commons group supported him.

One of these was Mr. Thatcher. He was not deviating from form, as Mr. Coldwell was, in tossing party dogma overboard and voting against accepted CCF doctrine.

"I'm not worried a bit," Mr. Coldwell said in an interview, though he expressed friendly feeling for Mr. Thatcher. Throughout a talk with reporters, he referred to his former colleague as "Ross."

Other CCF members, in conversation in the opposition

lobby, used less friendly terms. There were reports that Mr. Thatcher just beat the gun on expulsion from the party, but Mr. Coldwell and other top CCF officials denied his expulsion was contemplated.

The long-lost key to healing

with Key to the Scriptures by MARY BAKER EDDY

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Dr. Alvarez is Emeritus Consultant in Medicine, Mayo Clinic, and Emeritus Professor of Medicine, Mayo Foundation.

A new drug, and a very hopeful one, called cycloserine, was recently found to help almost all of the patients with tuberculosis to whom it was given. The reports from several groups of physicians are very hopeful. Doubtless, if the reports continue to be good, soon we will all be hearing about this new "broad spectrum" antibiotic discovered by Roger Harned and Elinor Kropp. (I hope people will not start asking me for the drug because, when last I heard a few weeks ago, it was not yet on the market).



Alvarez

A CAUSE OF BLINDNESS

For years, physicians and ophthalmologists have felt pretty hopeless in regard to a certain type of destructive inflammation of the lining of the eye-ball: an inflammation called uveitis. A few hundred times I have had an eye specialist beg me to go over a patient of his most thoroughly to try to find something wrong with him which might explain the chronic and recurrent and blinding inflammation in his eyes.

Recently, Dr. Ralph Ryan reported before the annual conference of the U.S. National Society for the Prevention of Blindness that a number of the victims of this disease have been found to have an infestation with a parasite called Toxoplasma. This tiny little parasite gets into the lining of the eye-ball and there causes trouble. Dr. Ryan said it has been known since 1937 that this parasite could sometimes be found in lesions of the eye, but it was thought that tuberculosis was a commoner cause of the trouble.

In 1953, it became obvious that tuberculosis could not account for many of the cases, and then interest began to grow in the Toxoplasmosis. Careful studies showed that 58 per cent of one group of patients almost certainly owed this advancing blindness to the Toxoplasma organism. Treatment of these patients with sulfa drugs and pyrimethamine, a drug which had been used for the treatment of malaria, worked well in some of the cases. Unfortunately, the drug has unpleasant side-effects, such as nausea and injury to the

blood, and hence research workers now are hunting for a better drug. But at last there is some hope on the horizon.

FAITH IN CAPABILITIES

Every so often I get a letter from a remarkable person whom I have to admire for his confidence in his own ability. For instance, a man just wrote me saying that it bothers him to note often in my column my admission that we doctors haven't the cure for many diseases. Fortunately, he has found them.

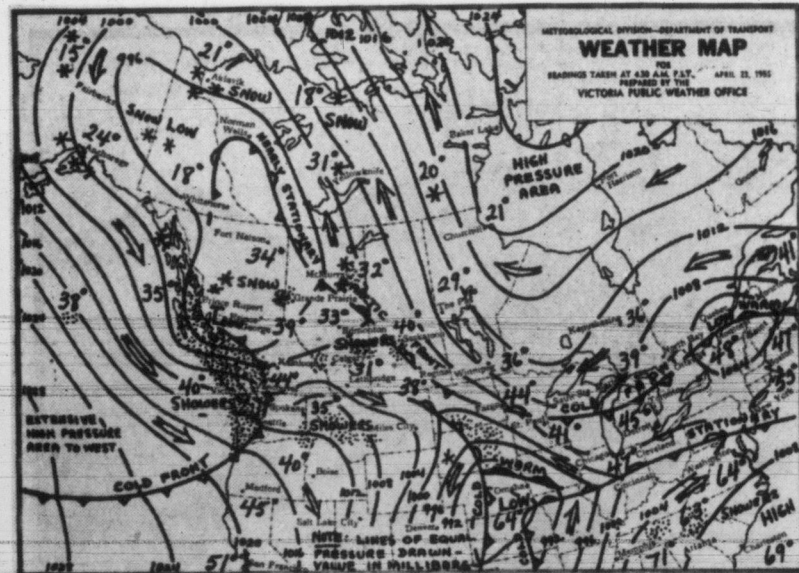
He says he can cure "All the chronic diseases without operation." Says, "I have no diploma to prove, but I can prove to you are any Professor in U.S.A. any day are any time I have the cure if you want I am ready to prove, but I can't do because I am hands tie."

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION

A while ago I commented on my feeling that workmen's compensation boards should be greatly interested not only in securing an award for a crippled or sick man, but in seeing to it that the money was well used, or perhaps well saved for a rainy day. As New York Governor Dewey said, in January, 1954, this is a phase of the compensation board's work which should be strengthened. Every board should be much interested in seeing to it that every injured man is rehabilitated and put back into industry.

I just received a copy of the Workmen's Compensation Board report for 1953 for the state of New York which pleases me much because it shows that the board did supervise the care of thousands of injured men, and the expenditure of the money awarded. The board investigated 3,369 requests for a lump sum payment, and supervised the expenditure of money awarded 9,228 men and women. In 4,812 cases the co-operated with other social agencies to obtain assistance for the person involved. In 8,248 cases the board co-operated with the Division of Vocational Rehabilitation. The board supervised the expenditure of awards totaling \$4,742,156.42. This "after-care service" is a splendid idea.

One of the great advances in civilization came with the enactment of workmen's compensation laws. I know, because I lived as a physician through the years when most workmen, when severely injured, were done for; they could never get back to their job again.



Week-End Weather Picture Across Canada

SYNOPSIS—A strong surge of very cool air from the North Pacific is pushing the main storm clouds eastward out of B.C. today. Some showers will persist near the mountains but the sun will break through elsewhere. There is a risk of frost in all parts of the province tonight.

CITY'S WEATHER RECORD
Sunshine, 1955 418.2 hours
Last year 463.8 hours
Precip. to date 10.61 inches
Last year 13.90 inches

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Victoria—Sunny with a few cloudy periods today and Sunday. Scattered showers near the mountains during the daytime. Remaining cool. A risk of frost in low areas tonight. Westerly winds 30, decreasing to westerly 15 this evening and becoming light later. Low-high at Victoria, 35 and 52.
Vancouver, Lower Fraser Valley, Georgia Strait—Sunny with cloudy periods today and Sunday. Scattered showers persisting near the mountains during the daytime. Remaining cool. A

risk of frost in low areas tonight. Light westerly winds, occasionally reaching 25 in the southern part of George Strait today. Low-high at Vancouver airport, 35 and 55. Abbotsford and Nanaimo, 32 and 58.
West Coast Vancouver Island—Gale warning in effect. Cloudy with sunny periods today and Sunday. Scattered showers. Remaining cool. Westerly winds 30, decreasing to westerly 15. Low-high at Estevan Point, 38 and 48.

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Lawrence Tells Morbid Story Of Life as an Aircraftsman

THE MINT, by T. E. Lawrence. Clarke, Irwin & Co. Ltd., Toronto. \$20 and \$3.50.

Lawrence of Arabia stipulated that his autobiography as an "other rank" in HM forces, "The Mint," should not be published until 1950.

Valued for 25 years at \$500,000 a single copy, it is available in an "inexpensive edition" at \$20, and a popularly-priced one at \$3.50. It is a mixed blessing.

Hero of the First World War Arab uprisings, author of "The Seven Pillars of Wisdom," and

brief social lion, T. E. Lawrence endured an intense personal crisis in the early 1920s which led him to seek anonymity and a redefinition of self in the ranks.

As Aircraftsman John Hume Ross he enlisted in the RAF in 1922, was discharged on discovery of his identity.

As Trooper Shaw he served briefly in the Royal Tank Corps, and then re-enlisted as Shaw in the RAF. In 1927, as Shaw, he edited and added to notes he had made as Ross. These comprise "The Mint: A Daybook of the RAF Depot between August and December, 1922, with Later Notes."

FEARED RESENTMENT
Lawrence feared premature publication would arouse resentment among his RAF mates.

Now, 27 years later, "The Mint" may be more useful to

students of the storied Col. Lawrence, his exploits and his mind, than as a projection of service life's effect upon a cultivated brain.

It may prove notable, too, as the most cultured form in which a serviceman's "beefs" has yet been cast.

But they are the beefs of one "other rank," one with peculiar problems; hardly one typical of the usual run of sailor, soldier or airman. Nonetheless it's sincere, if often condescending, pages should ring bells with readers familiar with service life.

MORBID APPROACH
Even so, if AC Shaw's morbid approach was typical of the men whose job it became 12 years later to keep Spitfires flying it is hardly likely the Battle of Britain would have been won.

"The Mint" was written by an artist yielding to the undeniable impulse to create, but limited to the rough materials an environment he freely chose made available. He found them distasteful.

It opens with, "God, this is awful." After 206 pages of beautifully-written, sometimes edited five years later while still in the RAF—he allowed himself to conclude: "For me, duty now orders these five buttons down my tunic... and airmen are cared for as little as they care..."

Viking Publishing Portable Library

In recognition of the current growing popularity of paper-bound books, Viking Press is issuing the Portable Library series between paper covers at \$1.25 (cloth-bound are \$2.50). First to be issued are the Portable Walt Whitman, Mark Twain, Hawthorne, D. H. Lawrence, Gibbon, Voltaire, Rabelais, Dante, Medieval Reader and Greek Reader. These volumes are printed from the same plates as the cloth-bound Portables.

BOOK TALK

By JAMES SCOTT



There isn't a national reading poll for Canada, but from publisher's sales, bookstore sales and library popular reading lists it is possible to piece together a few straws in the wind. Using these factors as a guide it is reasonably safe to say that at the moment there is not a single Canadian book enjoying

any degree of popularity in this country and, what's more, there hasn't been one since the new year. In the field of fiction, there has been some little resurgence of interest in Igor Gouzenko's "Fall of a Titan," the controversial Governor-General's Award winner for 1954's fiction. As for non-fiction, not a thing.

Being a Celebrity Helps

True enough, this has not been a particularly bright year anywhere so far. If one looks at the popularity lists for North America it would seem that as far as non-fiction goes you have to be an entertainment celebrity of some sort if you are going to sell many books. That is unless you happen to be Norman Vincent Peale. Currently, Fred Allen, Elsa Maxwell, Bob Hope and Lillian Roth all have best sellers of one sort or another plus the charming biography of Gertrude Lawrence by her husband. Fictionwise, it seems pretty hard to beat favorite authors like John P. Marquand ("Sincerely, Willis Wade") and Helen McInnes ("Pray for the Brave Heart"); but I am delighted that Laurens van der Post's "Flaming Feather" is also creeping right along up to the top. It deserves to get there.

To get back to the home

front, I am once more tussling with my perennial problem: Why is it that Canadians never get excited about Canadian books? Because there are no exciting books, perhaps? This I doubt.

Rather I think that it is because there are no Canadians who get excited about books. The excitement which is generated for the U.S. products is provoked in the U.S.A. and the meek Canadian constituency seems to get a sympathetic reaction to it. Practically never in our history have we become genuinely excited by a book without some help from outside. And this, I greatly fear, means that we are too timid ever to allow ourselves to develop a genuine enthusiasm for anything unless we are assured that somebody else, somewhere else, has approved of it first. Here's a pretty how-de-do, what?

Praise for Maclean's Policy

There are, however, some brave attempts being made locally to whip up a little genuine interest in Canadian writing. It's about time now, I think, that somebody put in a good word for the new policy of Maclean's Magazine. Ever since they gave Bill Mitchell \$5,000 for serial rights to "The Alien" (even though it wasn't much of a book—in my opinion anyway) they have been following a policy of presenting Canadian writing to Canadian readers on the firm assumption that it is both good and interesting in itself.

A Few Hurrahs Are Overdue

Just by way of comparison, I read Garson Kanin's story of about the same length called "Do Re Mi" in the March Atlantic Monthly. I got a lot of enjoyment from that one, too, but as far as I'm concerned, Morley Callaghan is a better writer than Garson Kanin and I see no reason why Canadians shouldn't push out their chests a bit and come right out with a few hurrahs for the local boy.

What's more, in terms of prestige I think a Canadian ought to be just as proud to appear in a national magazine of this country as in the Atlantic Monthly. You can add it up any way you want to, but if the fiction is good, the remuneration adequate and the journal carrying it properly conscientious, the fact that it is a Canadian publication should not detract from the name and fame of the writer.

But, sadly, I suspect that a lot of the people who could help most are still enslaved by the hero-worship of somewhere else attitude. I know, for example, that the Kanin story has already been used as material for discussion in the English classrooms of several Canadian universities. As far as I know, the Callaghan story hasn't been discussed and isn't likely to be.

And we wonder why there are no Canadian novels on the best-seller lists!

Spanish Surrealist Painting for Canada

By JACK BEST

NEW YORK (CP)—Salvador Dali, the Spanish, surrealist, picked up a telegram from a table in his New York studio.

"The painting," read the wire, "seems serenely content to be here, surrounded by tenderness and admiration."

Sender of the telegram: Lady Dunn, wife of Sir James Dunn, Canadian financier; the painting: Dali's "The Madonna of Portlligat."

The canvas, 11 feet by seven, had just arrived by truck at the Dunn home in St. Andrew's, N.B. To get it into the house, part of an outside wall had to be demolished.

"Tenderness and admiration," said he, "considers 'Madonna' one of his two greatest works, on a par with 'The Crucifixion,' which hangs in New York's Metropolitan Museum."

OUTSTANDING WORK
Dali, a short stout man with darting eyes and a restive manner, said he considers "Madonna" one of his two greatest works, on a par with "The Crucifixion," which hangs in New York's Metropolitan Museum.

The Madonna's face has been painted in the image of Dali's Russian-born wife, whom he married in Paris during the early 1930s. The central figure is suspended in mid-air, to express, says the artist, "spirituality and the atomic system."



Salvador Dali's painting, "The Madonna of Portlligat," is the first of the Spanish surrealist's outstanding works to be marketed in Canada.

Adventurer Missing as Book Issued

DANGER IS MY DESTINY by Capt. Dod Orsborne. Prentice-Hall Inc., New York.

Captain Dod Orsborne, the restless mariner who has roamed the world in search of adventure for almost half a century, has written more about his extraordinary life in "Danger Is My Destiny."

Orsborne created a sensation several years ago when his "Master of the Girl Pat" made best-seller lists. This book, which told only a part of his colorful life, was translated into 13 languages.

After sending the completed manuscript of "Danger Is My Destiny" to Prentice-Hall last July, Orsborne outfitted a 55-foot fishing ketch and sailed out of Whistler Harbor in England, bound for New York City with a crew of one. He has not been heard from since. However, his publisher is hoping he will appear before publication date.

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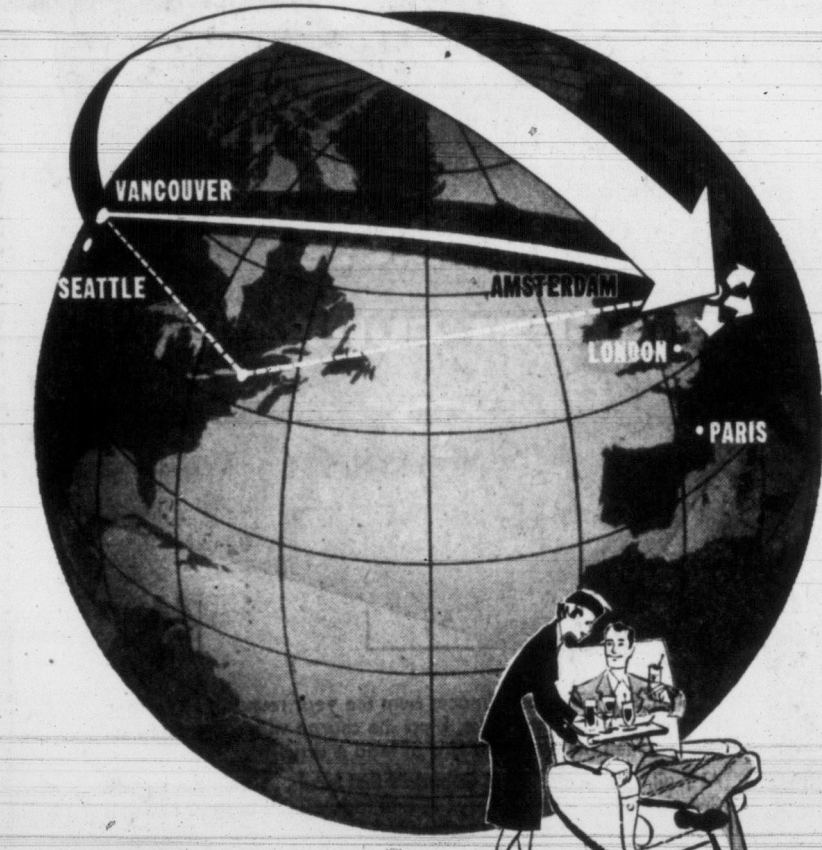
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THE STAMP CORNER

By REG NAIRNE

The 50th anniversary of Rotary is being marked philatelically by some 18 countries. Special issues for the occasion have already appeared from the U.S., Australia, Belgium, Brazil, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Egypt, France, Honduras, Korea, Lebanon, Monaco, Nicaragua, Panama, Philippines, Saar and Tunis, and there will probably be a few more besides. A complete collection of these would make an interesting side

U.S.A. MEMORIAL



line, especially for Rotarians who happened to be collectors.

Australia will release on May 4 an "American Friendship" stamp, signifying the cordial relations that exist between the two countries. The design depicts Australia's National Memorial to the U.S., which stands at Canberra, as well as a portrait of the Queen, who unveiled the column just a year ago.

Details have been released regarding the Australian Olympic Games set which will be issued a month previous to the opening of the contests to be held at Melbourne 18 months hence. Values will be 3½d, 7½d and 2/- These will be in addition to the 2/- blue stamp already issued, high gave advance publicity to the event.

A note received direct from the post office department in London states that the four high values which will complete the Queen Elizabeth set for Great Britain will not appear until the autumn.

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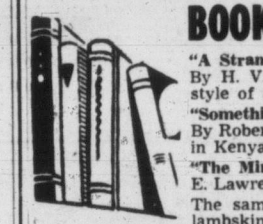


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ART in REVIEW

By COLIN GRAHAM

There is one topic which those of us trying to develop the Arts Centre have, until recently, said almost nothing about. In the first place public discussion of it has until lately seemed premature, and in the second place it is too big and too important a matter to be dealt with lightly.

Not long ago it was my privilege to be invited to the home of a very gracious couple who settled here after the war. On their walls hung a number of paintings which took me completely by surprise; several of them were of such calibre that any gallery in the world would be glad to have them.

It was intimated that given the proper set of circumstances these would probably eventually come to the Arts Centre.

Shortly after that I visited another home where there was an oriental collection, fairly small but very choice. Again it was intimated that given the proper circumstances these would come to the Centre.

CITY RICH IN ART

These experiences are merely two of many similar ones that I have had since coming to Victoria three years ago.

The profusion of fine, even great art of all kinds in this city has been frankly astonishing. Rich collections keep turning up constantly, so that one begins to wonder if there is any limit to the objects discriminating collectors have brought to Victoria from all parts of the world. More impressive perhaps than this has been the generous and public-spirited way in which most of these collectors have expressed themselves as anxious to see that their collections ultimately are

bequeathed or donated to this city.

STUMBLING BLOCK

And always there has arisen the stumbling block of "the proper set of circumstances," this phrase of course referring to a fireproof gallery of a kind that can safely house and adequately display objects of art of the first quality.

Now that the Arts Centre through its latest major anonymous donation of \$5,000 has approached the half-way mark in its fund for a fireproof wing, the time has obviously come for us to tell Victorians what could be in store for the city with a little luck, enough observance, and a continuance of that marvellously generous support from private citizens that the gallery has been fortunate in receiving so far.

Victoria seems to be in the position of a man who has been offered the gift of a Rolls Royce if he will put up a garage to house it.



ANDREW RUSSELL, Scots entertainer from Winnipeg, is to be principal guest artist when the Schubert Choir presents a Scottish concert, Wednesday, at Victoria High School. Other assisting artists are rose bowl winner Marjorie Sturgeon and a group of Highland dancers. Mrs. Vera Barclay, director of the female-voice choir, will also sing solos on the program that will feature several favorite songs of the "misty islands."

BOOKS RECEIVED

SILVER MOCCASINS, by Emma Ring Daly; Wings Press, Mill Valley, Calif.; 64 pp; \$2.00. The breath of the northwest blows out of these poems the spirit of the wilderness, Indians, pioneers, mountains and forests. One can smell the trees.

The titles, *A Man of Kodias*, *Totem Land*, *The Squaw Woman*, gives the idea of the atmosphere.

The author has long been a resident of the State of Washington, and most of her poems are centred in Alaska. Her late husband spent his life there.

They are practical little pieces, somehow fresh and unostentatious.

Movies ★ Art ★ Drama ★ Music

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GRUBER CONDUCTS

Symphony Director, Musicians Survive 'Operation Big Show'

BOSTON, Mass.—Owing to circumstances which I could not foresee, I have been unable to compose these weekly op. the last two or three times. Much has happened during those three weeks I wasn't heard from. As the deadline shows, I find myself in Boston. It took us the better part of three weeks to get here. Us being myself, my immediate entourage the youngest member of which is just over eight months old, my five-year-old Studebaker, my colleagues Stanley and Corol McCartney, and their six-month-old Volkswagen. (The McCartney's and V-W remained in New York City.) We all left Victoria around April 1st, and arrived, as planned, in Wenatchee this first evening.

It was next day that our pre-arranged schedule began to rock. Instead of traveling straight to Missoula, Montana, we decided to call it a (second) day in Coeur d'Alene, Idaho. This was a wholly voluntary decision. The third day saw us in Butte, Montana, but it was obvious many miles before Butte that our schedule would be further interrupted, except not voluntarily. And so it turned out. The next three days, which should have taken us well into the eastern States, saw us immovably imprisoned in Montana.

ANYTHING BUT CHAINS Those three days might be described as "Operation—Big Show." We did venture out of Butte eastward; I have a sensitive streak when it comes to the use of snow-chains; both the Volkswagen as well as the Studebaker negotiated the severe mountain pass just east of Butte minus chains, though the former took it more securely in its stride than the latter. (I think I should sooner move the Studebaker engine to the rear, too, rather than resort to the use of chains!)

The blizzard was raging mightily. The Volkswagen dropped out of sight, as did most other things, including the road. We hoped to find Bozeman, Montana, and its excellent Baxter Hotel; we did, many hours later, by some in-built instinctive radar sense. I had no way of telling whether the McCartney's in their incredibly sure-footed Volkswagen were behind or ahead of us. Every once in a while, I perceived some moving hump of snow, which may have been a motor car. Once settled in the Baxter Hotel in Bozeman, I spent the next two days on the phone speaking with the sheriff's office and the Highway Patrol of Montana. I besieged them to locate, somewhere along highway number 10, somewhere in Montana, a Volkswagen with B.C. plates.

The matter was urgent. A first clarinetist and an assistant-concertmaster in a permanently refrigerated state would be of singularly little use to me. Later in the day, the highway patrol reported seeing McCartney's car proceeding eastward through Bozeman, fixing the time at about a half hour before we arrived (and stayed) in Bozeman. They reported the mountain pass just east of Bozeman, to Livingston, closed and impassable. Likewise, the road east of Livingston, as far as a "metropolis" rejoicing in the name of Big Timber, was also closed.

ISOLATED IN BIG TIMBER Yet, somehow, the McCartney's managed to get through to this Big Timber, and there they hibernated, as it turned out, in considerably less comfort than we did in Bozeman. After finally getting in touch with one another, we met again three days later, in Billings, and were not ashamed to admit that we were glad to see one another, while



Gruber



Growing Up—Actress Margaret O'Brien, now 18, appears in Santa Monica court for approval on four contracts that will keep her busy in movies and TV. Under California law she may not negotiate her own contract until she is 21. She expects to graduate from high school this June. (NEA Photo.)

ENTERTAINMENT CALENDAR

Wednesday, April 27 at 8:15: Schubert Club of Victoria presents all Scots concert at Victoria High School Auditorium. Andrew Russell, Winnipeg, entertainer; Marjorie Sturgeon, soprano soloist; Highland dancers. Vera Barclay choir director and soloist.

Wednesday, April 27 at 8: Alan Husband in recital of secular and sacred songs. Sponsored by Esquimalt United Church Choir at the church, corner Admirals Road and Lyall Street.

Friday, May 6 at 8:15: Rotary Boys' and Girls' Choir, Oak Bay Junior High School auditorium. Sponsored by Rotary Club of Victoria.

Saturday, May 7 at 8:15: Victoria Theatre Guild presents the famous three-act play, "Stage Door"; Langham Court Theatre. Box office at Kent's Ltd., Fort Street.

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WEEK-END MARQUEE

By PHIL LEE

TV Fans to See Atom Blast Over Model Yucca Village

AT THE BACK of this paper today there is the usual Saturday schedule of television programs covering the forthcoming week.

This was more than ordinarily touchy to complete this time owing to the change from standard to daylight saving time. Normally, this would be easy to effect but complications arose by the fact that Washington stations remain on PST.

Only the passing days, therefore, will tell us how correct the proffered schedule is.

Meanwhile we ask your indulgence. We will get things on an even keel just as soon as possible.

On the brighter side, of course—the schedule may be correct. We sincerely hope it is.

HERE ARE SOME OF THE HIGHLIGHTS OF THE WEEK TO COME in order of their appearance.

On Sunday, over Channel 11, Charles Collingwood takes his viewers on a tour of the site of Tuesday's atom blast at the model town at Yucca Flat, Nev. The tour starts at 2.

The actual blast, which may easily be the highlight of the TV week, will be picked up by Channel 4 at 8 a.m. on Tuesday. The detonation will take place over a model village to show the effect of an atomic explosion. The test village includes homes, factories, ground-level and underground shelters, a power station and a radio tower. Dave Garraway will bring the commentary. Should weather cause postponement the test will take place 24 hours later.

On Channels 12 and 13, Sunday, Seattle Rainiers will host Sacramento Solons in a Pacific Coast League fixture. Game time is 2:30. Watch the column daily for all game times.

Also on Sunday, at 4:30, Judy ("Born Yesterday") Holiday appears in Max Liebman's Kaleidoscope on Channel 4. Others on the program will include Dick Shawn and Frank Sinatra. The

Church Sponsors Victoria Basso

Alan Husband, young Victoria basso, who has been a music festival winner on several occasions, is to be presented in a recital of favorite songs on Saturday next at 8 p.m., by Esquimalt United Church Choir. The choir is sponsoring the concert in accordance with their belief that the great amount of talent in Victoria should be given more frequent opportunity for public performance. It is possible that this concert will be the forerunner of others. Mrs. Margaret Dixon will be Mr. Husband's accompanist and the affair will take place in the church, corner of Admirals Road and Lyall Street.

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FRIDAY—Recorded Concert, 12:30. Lecture Tour, 2:15.

GALLERY HOURS: Sunday, 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. Tues. through Sat., 1:00 to 5:30 p.m. Friday, also evening, 7:30-9:30.

GALLERY CLOSED MONDAYS

Spring Season of Children's Art Classes for Ages 4-15 Begins week of May 2. Sign-up lists are now posted at the Gallery

Saturday, April 30th! Victoria Choral Society's SPRING CONCERT

presenting music by British Composers

Coleridge-Taylor—"Hiawatha's Wedding Feast"

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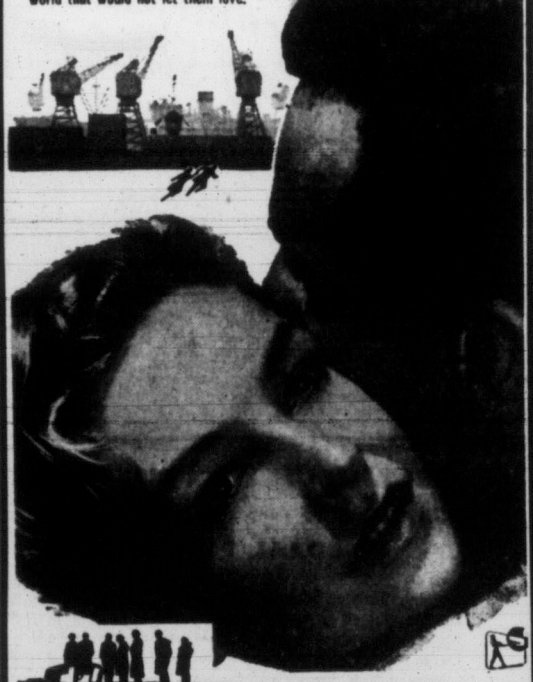
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JACK BEASTALL SAYS

Rhubarb Can Be Produced As Thick as a Man's Wrist

Rhubarb is so common in the home garden it stirs little interest or excitement in those who grow it. Not only is it one of the oldest plants we cultivate, it is also an unusual plant in many ways.

Asked its habitat, most gardeners would guess the semi-tropics possibly because of its luxuriant growth or because of its similarity to Gunnera, the prickly rhubarb of Chile and Brazil.

IN TEMPERATE ZONE
But the rhubarb we grow is truly a hardy, temperate-zone perennial, growing only where the apple tree thrives. Native to the Mongolian portion of the Himalaya mountains, it has been mixed with a species from the banks of the Volga River in Russia.

The earliest record of the plant is found in the old Chinese herbal "Pen-King," written about the year 27 B.C., so we are safe in saying it has been known for over 1800 years.

USED IN MEDICINE
One unusual feature about rhubarb is its classification as a vegetable although it is used mainly in desserts, pies, jams and sauces, spheres of cooking generally considered the prerogative of fruits. It also enters the field of medicine, the dried and ground root being prescribed for stomach disorders.

The edible portion of most vegetables is either root, leaf or seed, but with rhubarb it is the leaf stem, or petiole, which is used in the kitchen.

NAMED VARIETIES BEST
The sweetness of the stalks depends on fully opened leaves and sunshine. Pulling before the leaves have been able to manufacture food with the aid of sunlight, and pass this food to the roots, always means low sugar content.

Some varieties are naturally sweeter than others, and there are also early, mid-season and late producers. Only by purchasing named varieties can the home gardener be sure of a crop to his liking.

After reading a gardening book printed in 1890, I doubt if any of us have raised real rhubarb, for these are the stated cultural requirements:

"Stable manure must be used very liberally, not less than one ton for every hundred square yards. To this must be added fish offal, phosphatic manures such as dissolved bones, fish

guano and potash in any form available."

IN SHALLOW CLAY SOIL
With Sutton's seedless rhubarb I can produce stalks as thick as the wrist and as long as the arm on a shallow clay soil, so that any ton of manure I happen to locate will not go into the rhubarb bed.

Clay soil, which holds water well into summer, is to be preferred to a light soil which drains easily. And young plants, obtained by dividing the old clumps into sections with one or two eyes, are essential to the production of large, succulent stalks. No clump should remain after four years without being divided.

DIVIDE IN SECTIONS
If you have a clump which persists in producing flower stems, divide it into one-eye sections and plant these at the back of the flower border. Remove a few stalks to keep the plants within bounds, and then sit back and smile when your friends exclaim over the five-foot tropical-looking spikes of flowers.

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All the parts for this stool may be cut economically from a 4-foot length of 1x6, a 3 1/2-foot piece of 1x12, and some scrap. You can build this step stool from diagrams and complete step-by-step instructions in Better Homes & Gardens Handy Plan No. 113, available through your dealers or through this newspaper. Simply enclose 50

cents with your request for Handy Plan No. 113, and mail your request to Register and Tribune Syndicate, P.O. Box 751, Des Moines, Iowa.

Other Handy Plan designs your youngsters will enjoy are the children's play table (No. 112, 50 cents), children's activity board (No. 115, 50 cents), and portable sandbox (No. 146, 50 cents).

Realtors Divided
On For Sale Signs
WASHINGTON (UP)—"For sale" signs can be good and bad, according to a survey of the real estate business by the Secretaries Council of the National Association of Real Estate Boards.

Some realtors think the signs are silent salesmen, and do an effective job of advertising. Others think they pose an open invitation for house-hunters to ring the door bell and ask the owner for information, thus by-passing the real estate broker.

HARMONY IN GARDENS
A new sense of family harmony will reward the amateur gardener who works with his children, says Richard R. Kinney, a New York City school teacher who has spent 20 years directing youngsters in garden activities. Getting them interested and working is the subject of his book, "Guide to Gardening With Young People."

Know Your Wall Surfaces And Where to Use Them

By MR. FIX

The matter of building an attic room, or basement rumpus room, or of remodeling any other room, is no more than decided and right away you are faced with another important decision.

It is: What wall-surfacing material to use? There are several kinds, as you will see. All are good. Which it will be depends on the individual taste and pocketbook, and on whether you wish the atmosphere of the room to be light, heavy, casual or just plain jazzy. Let's take your choice one at a time.

Fiberboard—This material is made chiefly from wood or vegetable fibres. Light weight and relatively soft, it is not nearly as durable as some of the others, but has considerable thermal insulating value. Also, it soundproofs to some extent. Inexpensive, it is available in predecorated or unfinished planks, tiles and panels.

Hardboard—It's made of real wood particles tightly compressed into extremely dense, hard-surfaced panels. A variety of surface textures and patterns is available, perforated and corrugated—being among them. Generally unfinished, one type has a preprimed surface.

Prices of the material range widely, as do the panel sizes. Thicknesses for wall application are from 1/4 to 1/2 inch, the thinner panels being right for installation on existing walls, the thicker ones for installation directly over open framing.

Plastic-Surfaced Hardboard—Same as hardboard, except that it has a factory-applied plastic finish—solid color, wood grain or marbled—and is obtainable in planks and blocks (tiles) as well as panels.

Plastic/Asbestos Wallboard—Low in cost and fairly durable, its surface is fire-resistant. It's commonly purchased in 4x8-foot panels 1/2 or 3/4-inch thick, and in prefinished or simulated wood grain planks.

Usually the joints between panels (not planks) are sealed after installation with a combination of special joint cement and perforated tape to resemble plaster walls.

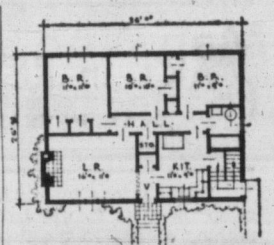
Plywood—In a higher-cost bracket, this familiar material, too, comes in panels and prefinished planks, either of which is available with surface veneers of various grains, textures and wood species.

Generally the 1/2-inch panels in 4x4-foot or 4x8-foot size are used on walls. A popular new practice is that of applying plywood panels over open framing of furring strips with instant-bonding cements only—no nails or other fasteners.

Linoleum, Vinyl and Rubber—Primarily flooring materials, these can also be glued to smooth, solid wall surfaces of plaster, plasterboard or hardboard. They come in rolls or tiles and are durable. Linoleum is least expensive, rubber, the most costly.

Cork—It comes in thin tiles for application with adhesive on solid walls, and in hardboard-backed sheets. It has insulating and sound-absorbing value, but should be sealed with liquid cork sealer or wax if not factory prefinished, for it stains if not treated. Price is moderately high.

Lumber—Last but not least are the ever-popular tongued-and-grooved boards in nearly every species of wood imaginable. The rarer the wood, the more expensive it is. It's up to the buyer to finish the boards to his taste.



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The first large labor organization in America was the Noble Order of the Knights of Labor, the direct antecedent of the American Federation of Labor.

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Mr. Denford, as president of Glass Radiant Electric Heat Company, is a pioneer in the electrical heating industry, and has successfully established himself in that field in Victoria. Totem Electric Ltd. have also

acquired the assets of J. & G. Electric, Nanaimo, and the Glass Radiant Electric Heat Co. of Victoria. The company maintains its head office at 1307 Burrard St., Vancouver, with branch offices at No. 107, 745 Yates St., Victoria, and 114 Argyle St., Nanaimo.

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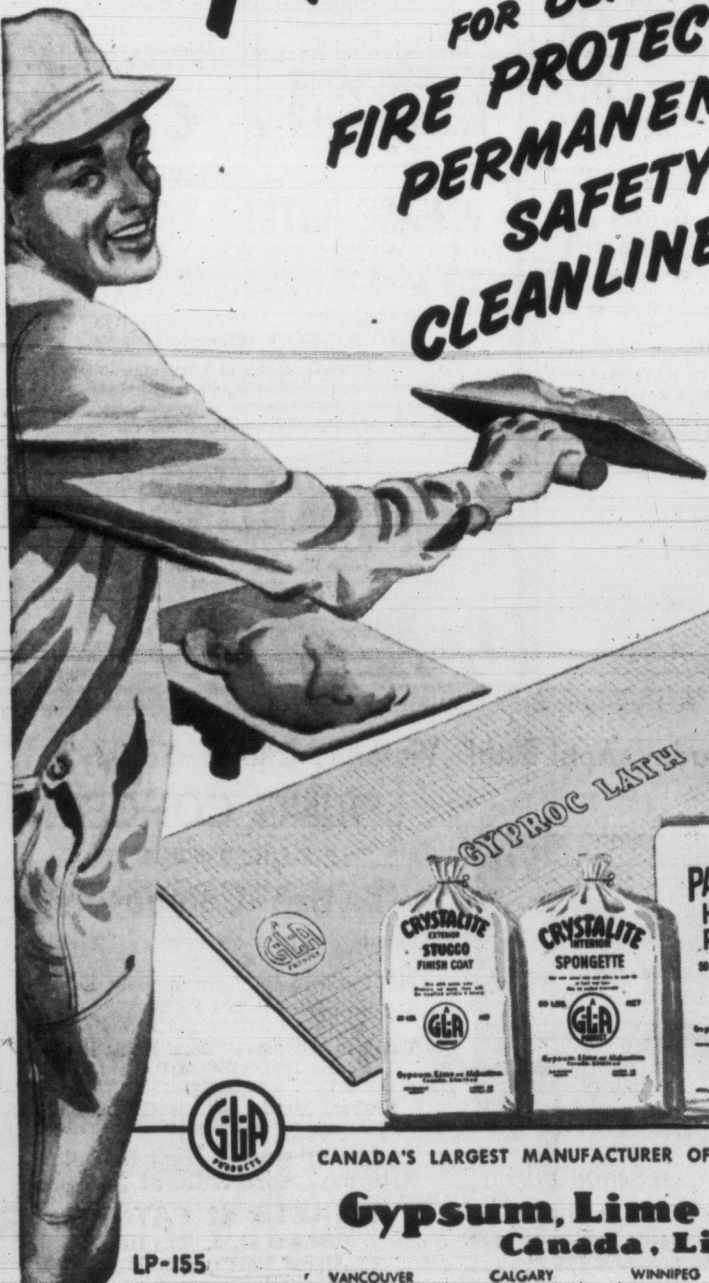
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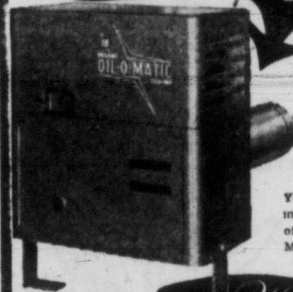
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Search Party Finds Teacher Lost for Week

BISSETT, Man (CP)—A 42-year-old school teacher slogged through the swamp lands of eastern Manitoba in his bare feet for nearly seven days before being discovered by a search party early Friday night.

Henry A. Craig, a teacher in the mining community of Bissett, 95 miles northeast of Winnipeg, found walking down an old logging road 16 miles west of Bissett, his shoes and socks in his hands. RCMP constable Larry Ginn, said Craig told him the weight of the mud clinging to his shoes made the going too tiresome.

The teacher, who set out on a 40-mile hike from Pine Falls to Bissett last Saturday, had only a chocolate bar to eat on the way. For the last four days he survived on berries and buds.

Const. Ginn said Craig had expected to reach Bissett Saturday night. He was forced to cross four rivers swollen by the spring runoff. At each river he made a raft out of logs and floated across.

When the teacher failed to report for school Monday a search was organized. The RCAF and a Central Northern Airways plane conducted a search from the air.

Negligent Driving Costs Sailor \$75

Charges of criminally negligent driving and driving without a license brought a total fine of \$75 or 13 days in jail for Bert William Barker, HMCS Athabaskan, in city police court Friday. He pleaded guilty.

Court was told the accused was paced at speeds of from 40 to 55 m.p.h. April 18 on Gorge Road. Police said the car had no emergency brake and inadequate foot brakes.

WEEK'S GARDEN WORK

Plant Bulbs Outdoors

By JACK BEASTALL
Plant outdoors in well-prepared beds, the summer flowering bulbs, tubers or corms of anemone, gladiolus, dahlia, galtonia, tigridia, montbretia and acanthus.

Early flowering chrysanthemum plants may be set out into beds or borders.

Thin the stems of perennial phlox to four or five for bigger flower trusses and better bloom. Hardening of bedding plants in cold frames should be nearing completion.

Tomato plants may be set out into cold frames in pots or plant bands to harden off. Cover of

frames should be replaced at night for another week or so to anticipate light frost.

Hanging baskets should be filled and hung under cover for a week before being conditioned for outdoor hanging.

Catch up on vegetable sowing of hardy root crops, lettuce, peas and spinach. Do not plant beans, corn or squash yet except in "guaranteed" frost free areas.

Forsythia may be partially pruned while in flower by cutting flowering branches back part way, and using for indoor decoration.

Buxus (box) may be hard pruned now, if necessary.

'Malahat' Shots Seek Test

On open invitation to take on all challengers has been issued by HMCS Malahat Rifle Club in competitive range shooting.

The team recently defeated Royal Roads cadets and the Canadian Scottish Regiment (Princess Mary's) in two successive shoots, and in national competition, involving the Dominion Command Rifle Association, the Malahat team has taken prize money in two of three comparative score shoots.

At present the reserve division team of HMCS Malahat is in mid-stride of an individual competition with HMCS Naden sharpshooters. Led by CPO Walter Birch, who has already

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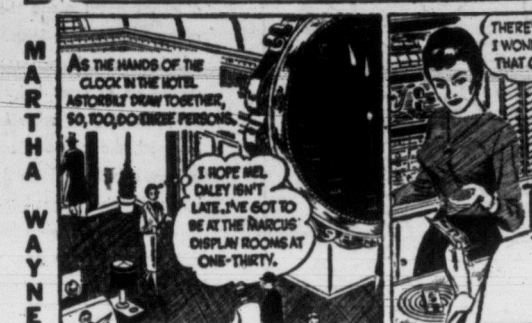
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The Times Wild Flower Coloring Contest

Here is the third picture in an interesting contest for children of all ages. Not only will those who like coloring enjoy it, but they will also learn something about the wild flowers which abound in the southern Vancouver Island area.

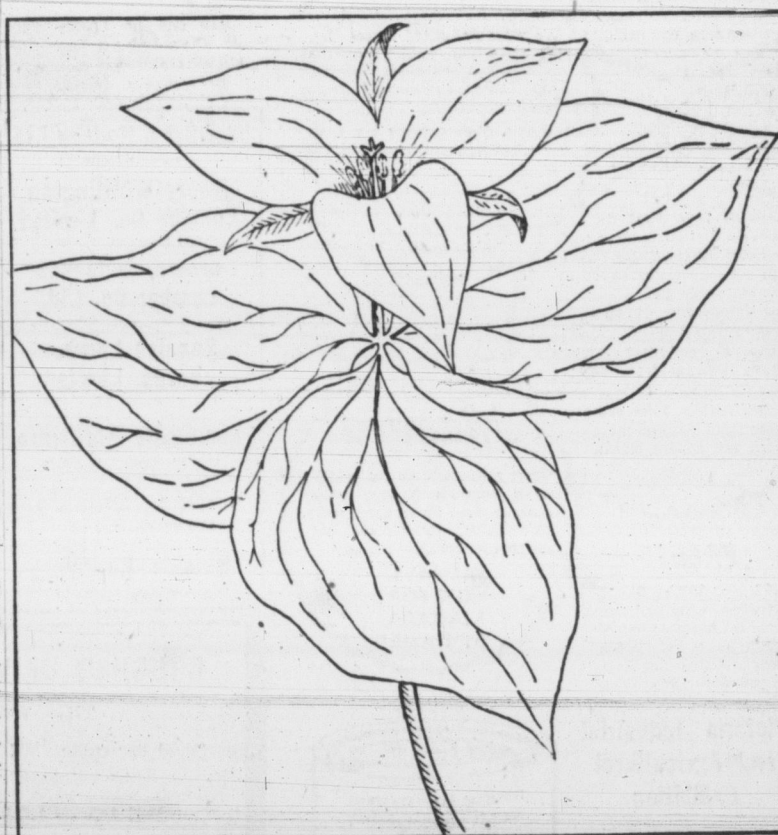
CONTEST RULES

Clip the attached sketch of a flower. You are then to find out what the natural coloring of the flower is. You may go into the country to find the flower in its natural setting; or you may see the flowers on display in the Provincial Museum when they are in season. Color your flower in crayon, pastel or other medium. When you have a collection of four flowers covering one month's entries mail them to "Flower Coloring Contest, Victoria Daily Times, 2631 Douglas Street, Victoria." Entries may be mounted on cardboard if so desired. Children competing for the prizes in the older group may do replicas of the design in water or oil paints if they wish. Send the following form with your entry:

Name _____
Age _____
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I saw this flower (location): _____

PRIZES

Judging will be done in three groups according to age:
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3. Over 12 years.
Each month the entries will be judged by the Women's Committee of the Victoria Symphony Society.
The three best groups of four in each age group will be awarded certificates of proficiency.
The winning entries in each group each month will then be eligible to compete for the grand prizes at the end of the contest.
The grand prize winners will receive recognition by medal, with a cash award for the top prizewinners. Grand prize winning entries will be displayed at the provincial museum.
Next week's flower, Chocolate Lily.



You will have to venture into the forest shadows to find the trillium. Places where alders and maples grow among the evergreen trees are the best places to look. Many flowers that grow in shady places have white flowers. This color is far more noticeable in the gloom than red or yellow, for example. In this way the flower does its best to attract pollinating insects.
Most plants have a definite symmetrical arrangement for their flower parts. This feature allows them to be grouped into plant families. For example, trillium belongs to the lily family as does camas and Easter lily. All plants in this group have a flower head (sepal and petals) totaling six parts. Their other flower parts will also be in sixes or a multiple of it, three.
The name trillium means triple. And how the name fits the plant. There are three large veined leaves, three narrow sepals, three large petals, six stamens, and the central flower part, the pistil divides into three parts at the tip.
The large petals often reach two inches in length. As the plant ages they usually turn a dull pink or purple. There is little or no perfume contrary to what one would expect from such a showy flower.
Trilliums of one species or another have a wide range across North America. Our local one grows over most of Vancouver Island and ranges eastward to the Rockies through the plant ages they usually turn a dull pink or purple. There is little or no perfume contrary to what one would expect from such a showy flower.
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An African tribesman possessed the only coffee grinder in the village and, being thrifty, he ground coffee for the other tribesmen at a toll of one-tenth of the coffee he ground for them.
How much coffee would a person have to bring to the grinder in order to take home one pound? Careful now.

Island Timber Firms Given Safety Awards

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CROFTON MEN FACE CHARGE IN LADYSMITH

CHEMAINUS — Edward Charles Wilson and Ralph Prentiss, both of Crofton, were charged in Ladysmith police court before Magistrate W. H. Bryant, with being in possession of house-breaking instruments.

They were remanded to April 25.

Charges were laid jointly by Chemainus and Ladysmith detachments of the RCMP. It is expected that further charges will be laid relative to an outbreak of thefts in this area.

Highway Will Bypass Beach

QUALICUM BEACH — Work on the new link of the Island Highway running through Qualicum Beach village is expected to start in a few weeks, as survey work has been completed.

Line will run from St. Evar on the highway to the corner of Hollywood and Chester Roads, and along high ground to St. Anne's Road near St. Stephen's United Church, then will run parallel to and adjoining the railway from the station onwards.

The new section will relieve dangerous congestion in summer on the crowded beach road which has been in the past the highway's only outlet up Island.

Vancouver Island Viewpoint

From Up-Island Newspaper Editorial Columns

A Problem Unsolved THE REVIEW, SIDNEY

On Monday afternoon of this week many residents visited the Sidney wharf to welcome the inaugural trip of State of Washington Ferries. The ship arrived on schedule from Anacortes and discharged an impressive number of passengers and vehicles. We were delighted to see them . . . but we've been wondering since just how happy they were to see us.

While the ferry was docking, debris was floating seaward from Sidney's garbage dump. Seagulls were swarming around the area in search of delicacies hurled into the dump.

Sidney and North Saanich Chamber of Commerce is now preparing to erect an impressive sign proclaiming "Port of Sidney." But until the stinking dump is removed, we wonder if we're wise to publicize our port too much.

The problem is that of the Sidney village commission. It cannot tolerate the present intolerable situation much longer. The dump presently serves Central Saanich and North Saanich and Sidney. Surely it's time for complete inter-community co-operation so that the deplorable eyesore can be eradicated once and for all.

Let the People Decide THE COWICHAN LEADER

The city council acted hastily in ordering filed a petition bearing some 250 names of property owners.

What was sought was an expression of the people by referendum on whether or not the time had arrived for public ownership of the 14½ acres of the community centre grounds on James Street.

In these grounds, paid for without one cent being raised by taxation, the city and district have something of great value. In order that development can be steady, public ownership is needed. Supervision by a municipal council, either through a committee of the council, or a parks board, can provide such orderliness. The centre association, under a board, would continue its present work for the use of the property.

This hardly seems a retrograde step, when municipal governments from one end of Canada to the other and in many lands abroad and in this hemisphere own such community assets.

The Saltair Proposal THE LADYSMITH CHRONICLE

It is most unfortunate if discussions to date on the Saltair water question have led anyone to believe that the Saltair Water Board is trying to get something for nothing from the taxpayers of Ladysmith, because nothing could be farther from the truth.

In essence what the Saltair Water Board has suggested is: If the city wishes to improve its water supply there is a possibility that the cost of making such improvements could be reduced by permitting Saltair to participate in the project. The Saltair board has made it abundantly clear that they expect to pay a fair proportion of the total cost.

Another point touched on briefly by Mayor Ryan at the last council meeting should also be given careful consideration—If a survey shows that the city's sources of supply produce more water than the city can use now and in the foreseeable future, has the city a moral right to deny the surplus water to a neighboring community which stands in urgent need? No fair-minded citizen of Ladysmith will have trouble finding an answer to that question.

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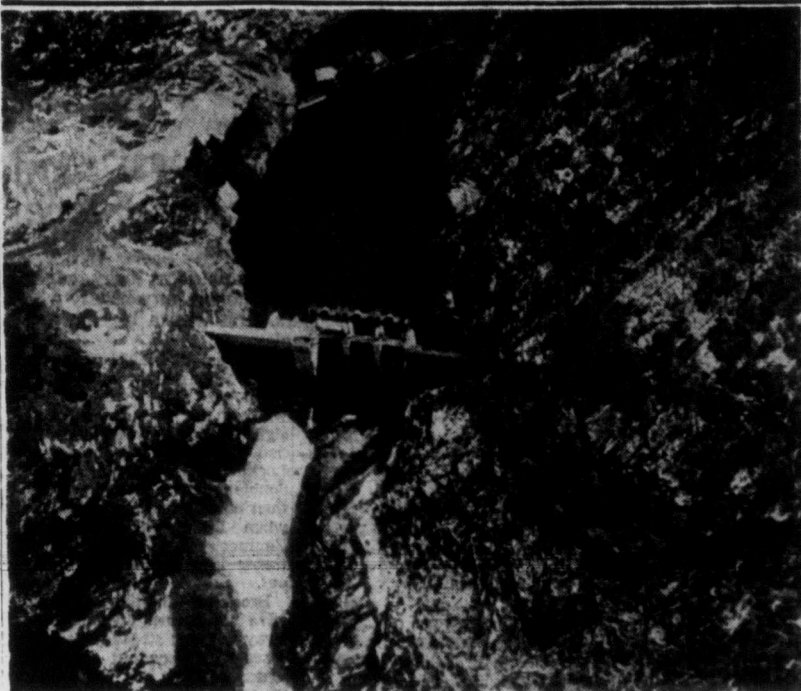


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ISLAND DIGEST



SURGE OF WATER from Ladore Falls dam eventually will produce 105,000 horsepower before pouring through turbines at John Hart Development on Campbell River. B.C. Power Commission has let contract for first stage of Ladore generating

station, to produce 70,000 horsepower, to Northern Construction Company and J. W. Stewart Ltd. It will be finished in 1956. Ladore dam blocks river to form Lower Campbell Lake reservoir.

Sportsmen Give \$100 to Send UBC Oarsmen to Henley Regatta

GANGES — A donation of \$100 was made to the UBC Rowing Club at the annual meeting of the Rod and Gun Club of Salt Spring Island held in Mahon Hall, Ganges.

This donation will help finance the crew's trip to Henley this summer. Tom Toynbee and Douglas MacDonald of Ganges are members.

Total membership of the Rod and Gun Club for the past year totalled 134, including 13 juniors, and a bank balance of \$894.45 was reported by the

secretary-treasurer, C. H. Wagg.

Election of officers resulted as follows: honorary president, Inspector G. C. Stevenson; president, L. Mout; vice-president, Fred Morris; secretary, C. H. Wagg; committees, R. M. Akerman, Bill Sampson, Mrs. A. Haugen, Nels Dignen, M. M. Mout, M. Munro, R. Lee, G. Hurst, G. Reynolds and D. G. Crofton.

Inspector Stevenson, Don Robinson, game biologist; and game warden Alec Sinclair were guests for the evening. Mr. Robinson spoke on the management of deer and their feeding habits. Moving pictures were shown by the game department.

One of the highlights of the meeting was the installation of John Wims as a life member of the club.

WANT DOE SEASON

It was recommended at the meeting that the deer season on Salt Spring Island be from mid-September to Oct. 31 with a two-week doe season to follow immediately. Application was also made to the Game Commission for a resident game warden for the Gulf Islands.

Another \$50 has been allotted to the building, recommended from the club's funds for a coon tail competition, with 55 coon cost of repairs as between \$758 and \$1,300. Work suggested by the contractors was ordered by it was announced that over 500 tickets were sold for the annual

Municipal Hall Dry Rot Found

DUNCAN — During the course of alterations and repairs to the North Cowichan municipal building here, it was discovered that dry rot and fungus have attacked the foundation timbers and joists on the west side of the building.

A. V. Richardson Ltd., contractors making present repairs to the building, recommended immediate action and gave the cost of repairs as between \$758 and \$1,300. Work suggested by the contractors was ordered by it was announced that over 500 tickets were sold for the annual

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Elk Falls Co. Plants 11,750-Acre Forest

CAMPBELL RIVER — Foresters of Elk Falls Company Limited have resumed their annual tree planting operations which, by the end of this season, will have created a man-made forest of 9,200,000 trees on Vancouver Island since 1943.

This year's program will involve the planting of 1,000,000 two-year-old fir trees on 1,300 acres. By the end of this year a total of 11,750 acres will have been planted.

This was announced today by O. D. Hallin, vice-president, Crown Zellerbach Canada Limited, with which the Elk Falls Company is affiliated.

The reforestation program is being carried out in the Tsolum River area, between Courtenay and Campbell River, where natural seedlings were destroyed by fire in 1938.

By the end of this season the company will have spent between \$150,000 and \$200,000 on its program, Mr. Hallin said. Seedlings are provided free by the provincial government.

Some hemlock seedlings are being planted, as well as fir, which sites are suited to this species.

Actual planting is being done by members of the company's logging crews whose regular work is held up by weather.

In past years, this program has been directed by F. D. Mulholland, formerly chief forester for the Elk Falls Company, who was recently appointed technical assistant to Chief Justice Gordon Sloan in the current Royal Commission on forestry in B.C.

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CHILDREN AID PALSY FUND

QUALICUM BEACH — Sum of \$4.65 for the Knights of Pythias cerebral palsy fund was raised at a 24-item program staged here by three local youngsters.

Roberta Mountain, 11, eight-year-old Diane Peck, and Angela Knight, eight, staged costume and fashion parades, ballet dances, acrobatics, duets and solos before an audience of 20 neighbors.

Maureen Peck was announcer.

Outdoor Session

LADYSMITH — The recently formed Saltair Girl Guide company held its first outdoor session this week, with the full membership of 15 girls in attendance.

Notices were sent home to mothers inviting them to a meeting of the Saltair Brownies and Guides' Association Monday night.

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Hughie Gets a Few Tips

Things get down to brass tacks Sunday in the Times Vancouver Island Match Play Open Golf Tournament at Victoria Golf Club. The tournament moves into the semifinal round with four survivors battling for the two available final berths. One of the semi-

finalists is long-hitting Hugh Morrison, who takes on Colwood pro Bill Court. Here Hugh gets some inside information on the condition of the course from Victoria Golf Club stenographer Joan Rodger. (Times Photo by Bill Halkett.)

IT'S MY VIEW

By BILL WALKER, Sports Editor

Pony League baseball umpires will think twice before they call a close decision this year.

Which is a round-about way of saying that the city police and Oak Bay police are getting into youngsters' sports.

This should go over big with the people, especially the parents.

And Chiefs John Blackstock and Hugh Reston are to be commended for their action which will see the rival gangs handling Pony League teams this season.

It happened like this: A week or so ago, there was a piece here mentioning the fact that some kids wanted to play ball but needed a few sponsors to make things easier for them.

The following day there was a phone call to the office asking for more details.

This being done, the suggestion was made that why not have the police take over two of the teams, with all expenses paid by the caller, who (but can probably be recognized by the front-row seat he will occupy at Pony League games this season).

Chief Blackstock was contacted and immediately gave his consent to the plan, the deal being that a coach would be supplied and that members of the city force would manage the club.

Chief Reston was just as quick to accept the challenge and give the youngsters a hand.

So now it will be police against police, all monies being supplied by the aforementioned "angel."

This is indeed a splendid move. And it may lead to even more of the same. Not only will the youngsters be well taken care of, but a new respect for the law will be born in the minds of the small fry.

There will be a comradeship that otherwise might never be attained.

To complete the picture, an electrical firm heard of the youngsters' plight and also decided to get into the fight. We can't mention names; Mawson Gage will understand why. Rotary is the other club with two more still needed.

We'd like to say more about the man who initiated the move, but he won't let us.

He just wanted to do something for the youngsters and decided this was the best way he could think of to put his dividends to good use.

In regard to the police, it's something that has long been needed. Everybody should recognize that fact. Now the kids will have a pal in the fellow on the beat. Which is as it should be.

It has been done before in other cities with great success. Now it has been started here. And it could be the forerunner of other associations between the youngsters and the authority they should come to learn to respect.

To Jim, all we can say is: "Thank you."

The police feel the same way. They only wanted the opportunity to help.

The kids may not win all their games, but somehow it seems that now they can't lose.

SPORTS MENU

TODAY
Basketball
7:45—Cordova Bay Community Hall
Basketball: Copley Brothers vs. Cordova Bay in second game of juvenile girls' two-game, total-point final.
SUNDAY
Golf
9:30 and 1:30—Victoria Golf Club 36-hole semi-final matches of Victoria Times Island match play open.

1:00—George Vale Golf Club, second round of Hodges Trophy competition.
2:00—Lower Beeson Hill, Heanys vs. JBA in a first-round McDavid Cup match.
2:00—Haywood Avenue Park, Butlers vs. Woods in Oliver Cup replay.
Minor Soccer
1:00—Windsor Park, Eagles vs. ANAP Vets for Division 2 H.N. Brown Knock-out Cup.

Giants Back in Business Stop Dodger Win Streak

Ford Sparks Yankees; Coleman Breaks Collarbone

By CARL LUNDQUIST, United Press Sports Writer
Heroes incorporated were back in business today thanks to Whitey Lockman, the Giants' double-duty beauty who stopped the runaway Dodgers, first with a big hit, and then with a brilliant fielding play.

BASEBALL SCORES

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.	GBL
Brooklyn	10	7	.588	0
Milwaukee	6	3	.667	3
St. Louis	6	3	.667	3
Philadelphia	5	3	.625	4 1/2
Chicago	5	5	.500	4 1/2
New York	5	5	.500	4 1/2
Cincinnati	7	8	.469	7 1/2
Pittsburgh	0	7	.000	8

Team	R	H	E
New York	000	000	050-5
Brooklyn	020	000	110-4
Hearn, Wilhelm (7)	Grissom (7)		
(7) and Westrum, Grasso (7);			
Podres, Hughes (8) Roebuck			
(9) and Campanella, W-Grissom;			
L-Podres, HR: Bkn-Campanella.			

Pittsburgh	012	001	000-4
Phila	000	000	005-5
Purkey, Bowman (9) and Atwell;			
Wehmeier, Miller (9) and Burgess, W-Miller; L-Bowman.			
HR: Pha-Ennis.			

St. Louis	010	000	000-2
Milwaukee	000	000	001-1
Lawrence and Rice; Spahn.			
Johnson (9) and Crandall, L.			
Spahn.			

Cincinnati	002	100	000-3
Chicago	100	010	31x-6
Staley, Minarcin (7) and Bailey;			
Minner, Pollet (8) and Chitt, McCullough (8). W-Minner.			
L-Staley, HR: Cln. Harmon, Kluszewski, CHI: Merri-			
man.			

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.	GBL
Chicago	5	2	.714	0
Boston	5	3	.625	1
Cleveland	6	3	.667	1
New York	6	3	.667	1
Washington	5	4	.556	2
Detroit	3	5	.375	2 1/2
Kansas City	3	5	.375	2 1/2
Baltimore	1	6	.143	3

Boston	000	000	000-0
N York	000	101	10x-3
Sullivan, Susce (7) and White;			
Ford and Berra, L-Sullivan, HR: NY-Berra, Bauer.			
Wash	012	000	000-3
Baltimore	000	000	200-2

McDermott, Pascual (7) Abernathy (7) Stobbs (7) Schmitz (8) and Fitzgerald, Edwards (9);			
Wilson, Johnson (8) and Smith, Moss (8). W-McDermott;			
L-Wilson, HR: Wash-Busby.			
Detroit	002	001	020-5
Cleveland	205	100	00x-8
Gromek, Cristante (5) Froats (7) and House; Lemon, Narski (8) and Hegan, W-Lemon;			
L-Gromek, HR: Hatfield Boone; Cle-Dobson.			

Chicago	001	210	001-5
Kan City	100	011	000-3
Trucks, Consuegra (7) Martin (9) and Lollar; Portocarrero, Dittmar (6) and W. Shantz.			
Astroth (8). W-Trucks; L-Portocarrero, HR: Chi-Carrasquel; Kan-Zernial.			

COAST LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.	GBL
Sacramento	8	7	.533	1
San Francisco	8	7	.533	1
San Diego	8	7	.533	1
Los Angeles	9	4	.688	0
Seattle	9	8	.529	1
Portland	6	6	.500	1 1/2
Oakland	6	6	.500	1 1/2
Hollywood	6	10	.375	2 1/2

First game—

Hollywood	000	010	00-1
San Francisco	110	000	x-2
Narango, Hogue (5) and Hall;			
Ponce and Ritchey, Tornay (6).			

Second game—

Hollywood	000	002	000-2
San Francisco	000	120	00x-3
Witt, O'Donnell (5) and Man-			
gan; Fracchia and Ritchey, Tornay (8).			

Oakland

San Francisco	0	7	.533
San Diego	8	7	.533
Los Angeles	9	8	.520
Seattle	9	8	.520

BASEBALL WORKOUT

Farmer Construction of the Senior Amateur Baseball League will hold a practice Sunday morning at Athletic Park from 10 to 12. All interested players are invited to attend.

Flyers, Cataracts Open Series Tonight

MONTREAL (CP)—Coach Bud Poile put his Edmonton Flyers through a brisk workout Friday at the Forum as the Western Hockey League champions prepared for the opener of the best-of-nine series for the Duke of Edinburgh trophy at

Shawinigan Falls tonight.

The squad appeared to have lost none of its edge during a 10-day layoff after winning the western title and Poile appeared confident.

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TIMES ISLAND GOLF SEMIFINALS SUNDAY

Facts and Figures on Times Island Match Play Open Golf Championship Sunday.

Place—Victoria Golf Club.

Time—9.30.

Contestants—Hugh Morrison vs. Bill Court, and Bill McColl vs. Harold Lineham.

Distance—36 holes.

Prize—Berth in final round, scheduled for Royal Colwood Golf Club, Sunday, May 1.

Phil Favored For Ranger Post

By TIM MORIARTY, United Press Sports Writer

NEW YORK (UP)—There were plenty of candidates today for the New York Rangers' open coaching berth, but the man with the inside track to the job appeared to be little Phil Watson, one of the team's most-popular players a decade ago.

Muzz Patrick relinquished the coaching reins Friday to succeed retiring Frank Boucher as manager of the Rangers. Patrick said he would name the new coach "in the near future," and the guessing game was on as to whom would now take over as ice boss of a team which has not gained the Stanley Cup playoffs since 1950.

Watson's name headed the list of candidates for he and Muzz are ex-Ranger teammates and long-time friends. Little Phil played 12 years with the Rangers before retiring in 1948. He served for a time as coach of the New York Rovers in the old eastern amateur hockey league and currently is coaching the Quebec Frontenacs in the Quebec junior hockey loop.

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A Week's Work

By DENNY BOYD

Fortunately for lacrosse, The Old Man of the Mountain, Jake Proctor, is just as cranky and cantankerous as ever. Perhaps even more so.

In recent weeks, Jake has been embroiled in a battle of the hiss parade with just about everyone in the Inter-city Lacrosse League. It is doubtful if mainland fans will get any more enjoyment out of lacrosse in the middle of the season as they have recently in following the daily accounts of Jake Proctor vs. The People (The People being anyone having lacrosse ingredients of interest to Proctor and his Mount Pleasant Indians).

Now Jake is one smart cookie when it comes to putting people in their place and Jake figures that the place people should be put in is a front row seat at any arena

in which his Indians are playing. We mean that Proctor is doing a terrific one-man job of promoting pre-season lacrosse interest. Of Jake will just about put anyone in his place if it means the turnstiles will click at a melodic four-four time.

Jake has been accused of trying to steal everything in the league except secretary Tommy Gordon's cigar. New Westminster, Vancouver and Nanaimo have hollered "stop Thief" several times, protesting Jake was tossing away of-bills around in the hopes that certain players would field them and bring them back to the Indians.

Jake Thumps the Boxla Drum

To date, none of his accusers have been able to pin anything tangible on Jake, any more than anyone was ever able to lay a solid check on him. But the Vancouver papers have been having a field day with Jake's antics. Lacrosse interest in Vancouver is at a high ebb and Jake should get some kind of an "E" for Effort or an "S" for Salesmanship.

We spoke to Jake this week by telephone. Jake, in a talkative mood, hardly snarled once and boisterously reminded us of the night in Peterborough last year when we put the big food lift into operation, Jake lifting the food from the hotel pantry at midnight and setting up a feast for his temporary Shamrock teammates.

Getting down to business, Jake evaluated this year's edition of the always enter-

taining Indians thusly: "We'll be from 25 to 30 per cent stronger this year. Our younger players have a years experience under their belts, so we won't just be feeling around at the beginning of the season. I won't have to spend so much time teaching strategy to the guys as I did last year because we will be following the same let-the-ball-work pattern."

To the question, "Will you be playing as much this year?" Jake answered, "Hell, yes. I'm 15 pounds heavier than last year and I've never felt better. I spent the winter fishing for steelhead and lifting weights. My legs feel in great shape. I haven't had a smoke for three months."

Proctor indicated more than passing interest in the Shamrocks—who was turning out, who was in shape, etc.

Well-Deserved Pat on His Back

"You know," he said, "the Shamrocks can thank me for sending Lou Landess to them. I knew Lou was planning to make a move and I told him 'For cryin' out loud, Lou, don't go to Nanaimo!' Then we had a long talk about the fishing on the Island and I talked him into going to Victoria."

Things were quiet at the fire hall where Jake was on duty, so he continued his musings. "This Bradshaw's a pretty good ball player, but if the Rocks don't get Nip O'Hearn back, they'll be up a creek. Bradshaw and Dobbie won't be able to make up for the loss of O'Hearn. He was the guy who beat us last year."

"Pilseners tried to steal Cy Anderson from me. He plays with the Pils' soccer team and

they were having a party. Cy got kinda wound up and when they threw a player form in front of him, he signed it, probably thinking it was the guest book. But Cy is building a house and I got five plumbers on my club and a couple of carpenters, so I didn't have much trouble getting Cy back. We just out-plumbed Pilseners."

"Some guys are accusin' me of trying to steal players. Like there are two kids on the New Westminster club who fit into my plans. I want them, sure, but I'm willing to give up three of my players for them. Besides, if I don't pick up these kids, those thievin' Shamrocks will grab them."

And, having unburdened himself, The Old Man of the Mountain said "G'bye. See you on the 11th."

PASTRANO SMARTER NOW

Willie Didn't Win, But He's Satisfied

United Press Sports Writer

CHICAGO (UP)—Willie Pastrano didn't win his fight against Willie Troy, but he figured today he picked up smartness for the road toward his number one target, the world heavyweight championship.

"I thought I beat him," Pastrano said after Judge Ed Hintz and Referee Frank Glimmer

scored his 10-round television brawl against Troy as an even engagement to bring about Pastrano's third draw in 37 pro battles.

"My corner told me I had to win the last two rounds to win, and I thought I did," he said. "But it doesn't hurt me to draw this one. I can fight him again, or (Ernie) Durando, and it won't hurt me. I'll beat him next time."

Pastrano said he made a mistake when he "coasted" in the middle rounds when Troy overcame Pastrano's early edge and moved toward a win.

"You could tell I was coasting," he asked. "I figured I had points and could finish fast. I did, but it wasn't enough."

Troy, who has knocked out 23 of his 34 opponents with three defeats, believed that it was a "good decision," but added that he would like to fight Pastrano again.

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Schindler, St. Louis	36	9	17	.417
Moon, St. Louis	44	7	17	.386
Brennlich, St. Louis	42	7	14	.331

Runs batted in—Thomson, Milwaukee, 16; Doubles—Five tied with 4; Triples—Four tied with 3; Home Runs—Brennlich, Brooklyn, and Kinsawski, Cincinnati, 5; Bases on Balls—Gilliam, Brooklyn, Temple, Cincinnati, and Boyer, St. Louis, 2; Pitching—Five tied with 2-5, 1.000; Strikeouts—Ruch, Chicago, and Webber, Philadelphia, 13.

FIGHT RESULTS

CHICAGO—Willie Pastrano, 166, New Orleans, and Willie Troy, 160½, Washington, drew 10.

PHILADELPHIA—Fernando Pina, 195½, Philadelphia, outpointed Lou Henson, 218, Baltimore (8).

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Boxla Secret—How Ashbee Got Away

By DENNY BOYD

Victoria Daily Times 13
SATURDAY, APRIL 25, 1958

Bob Corlett, the studious little president of the Nanaimo Timberrmen, asked a question this week.

Red McMillan and Ralph Baker, the majors-domo of the Victoria Shamrocks, at whom Corlett's question was aimed, would like to answer the interrogation.

The nature of Corlett's question was: "How did the Shamrocks ever let him get away?" he being Don Ashbee.

To reconstruct the scene, Ashbee is the former Peterborough star who came to Victoria to play pro hockey with the Victoria Cougars. Failing to stick with the Cougars, Ashbee played amateur hockey and remained in town

to enjoy the fishing and, it was believed, to play for Victoria Shamrocks.

But Ashbee now is wearing the new green and gold of the Nanaimo club and that is the fact that prompted Corlett's question, whether it was asked in innocence or as a needle of spite in Shamrock hides.

Choosing his words with care, Rock coach Red McMillan answered, "We let Ashbee get away because we wouldn't go for the kind of remuneration Nanaimo is giving Ashbee to play there."

"For another thing, we didn't want to interfere with his private life. He told us he was going back east because his wife was homesick

and that he hoped to go into business with his father."

"One day we would hear he was staying in Victoria, the next day we would hear he was going home and the next day the story would be that he was going to Nanaimo. But he told us definitely that he was going back east."

Manager Ralph Baker was slightly more curt than McMillan. Baker said, "I'll tell you how we let him get away. Because the Timberrmen were offering him half of the city of Nanaimo and half of Departure Bay to go up there."

Big Bill Dickinson, a member of the league commission now, is heading a campaign

to tighten up rules this season and Bill is just the man to do it. As a player, he broke most of the rules; as a referee, he enforced them with an iron fist and now he is studying means to enforce them more rigidly.

Here are some of the changes fans can look for this season:

• An attempt to completely abolish the wrap-around check.

• More protection for an offensive centre while he is waiting for the ball in front of the goal. Defensive players will not be allowed to push, check or hold the centre if he is not in possession of the ball.

• Establishment of the delayed whistle on penalties, as used in hockey, to prevent a penalty being called when stoppage of play would be to the advantage of the offending team. If a player breaking in on goal is fouled but not prevented from completing his play, the penalty would not be called until after the shot on goal.

• An attempt to completely blot out stalling, bickering with referees, except by team captains, and the use of abusive language to game officials. In the case of stalling, the team in possession of the ball will be given 10 seconds to move the ball forward or a face-off will be called.

Oliver, Furgol Share Lead

VIRGINIA BEACH, Va. (AP)—Ed Porky Oliver and Marty Furgol, a couple of victory-hungry professional golf veterans, shared a pair of four-under-par 68s Friday to tie for the halfway lead in the \$17,500 Virginia Beach open tournament.

Oliver and Furgol, both playing out of Lemont, Ill., matched their scores of Thursday for 36-hole totals of 130, eight under regulation for the 5,065-yard, par 69 Cavalier Yacht and Country Club course.

A stroke behind the co-leaders were British open champion Peter Thomson of Melbourne, Australia, and Chandler Harper of Portsmouth, Va., with 131s. Three lagged by another stroke, including Fred Wampler of Indianapolis, Ind., Dave Douglas of Newark, Del., and Ed Furgol of St. Louis. Douglas sank a five-iron shot on the 403-yard seventh hole for an eagle two.

City Chess Standings

G. Jones and A. V. Miller are this week's leaders of the red and white divisions respectively in the Victoria City Chess Club's ladder competition.

Results, standings and schedule follow:

LANCER RESULTS
Red Division—G. Jones 1, H. Selander 0, G. Isomias 1, A. Higgs 0, T. J. Stewart 1, G. Wilkinson 0, J. Antikainen 1, P. Rola 0, J. H. Lacey 1, O. Jowett 0, L. Bessant 1, A. Sharp 0, J. H. Rella 1, White Division—L. Kellie 1, L. Grover 0, E. Richardson 1, A. Sheard 0, P. W. Plant 1, R. R. R. Bennett 1, W. de Havilland 0.

STANDINGS
Red Division—1, G. Jones; 2, H. Selander; 3, T. J. Stewart; 4, G. Wilkinson; 5, G. Isomias; 6, A. Higgs; 7, T. Antikainen; 8, C. J. H. Rella; 9, J. H. Lacey; 10, O. Jowett; 11, A. E. Sharp; 12, L. Bessant; 13, J. H. Rella.
White Division—1, A. V. Miller; 2, L. Kellie; 3, L. Grover; 4, E. M. Richardson; 5, A. H. Sheard; 6, P. W. Plant; 7, R. R. R. Bennett; 8, Dr. J. Baker; 9, R. R. Bennett; 10, W. de Havilland; 11, T. N. Carter.

SCHEDULE
Red Division, Tuesday, April 26—Stewart vs. Selander; Isomias vs. Wilkinson; Antikainen vs. Rola; Lacey vs. Bessant; Sharp vs. Jowett; Higgs vs. Rella; White Division, Tuesday—Kellie vs. Miller; Grover vs. Plant; Sheard vs. P. W. Plant; R. R. R. Bennett vs. Dr. J. Baker; Curteis vs. de Havilland.

Aussies Score Cricket Victory

GEORGETOWN, British Guiana (Reuters)—Brilliant bowling by Jack Hill Friday gave the Australians an easy victory over British Guiana by an innings and 134 runs on the third day of their four-day cricket match here.

British Guiana, which made 177 in its first innings, was all out before tea for 165 in its second innings after the Australians had declared at their overnight total of 476 for seven.

Hill, who claimed five wickets in British Guiana's first innings, was on the mark again and took five more wickets for only 15 runs. Hill finished the match with 10 wickets for 65 runs.

British Guiana, playing without star batsman Clyde Walcott who was injured, was bowled out in their second innings in under four hours.



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ROCKS GET LANDESS

Indians Denied Boxla Transfers

VANCOUVER (CP)—The Inter-City Lacrosse League commission Friday night turned down the transfer of Murray Duncan from New Westminster Salmonbellies to Mount Pleasant Indians and held in abeyance until May 4 the transfer of Cliff Sepka.

Sepka has applied for a transfer from Salmonbellies to Indians, but the commission decided to withhold decision until several points have been clarified. Duncan's transfer was

vetoed because "we did not feel there was sufficient reason behind his move," said commission secretary Tom Gordon.

Duncan and Sepka were the centre of a controversy when Salmonbelly coach Art Pruden charged Indians with luring them with an offer of \$300.

The commission, meantime, approved the transfer of Jake Trotzok, Stan Radonich and Ernie Bogstad from Indians to New Westminster, since "Indians indicated they would not oppose them."

Transfer of Lou Landess from New Westminster to Victoria Shamrocks was also approved and Elmer Matthews' move from Victoria to Pilseners was also okayed.

Irish Dander Boils, But All Calm Now

DUBLIN, Ireland (UP)—Irishmen playing on a touring rugby union football team will be wearing the "hated Union Jack" (British flag), an indignant fan has complained in a letter to the Irish press today. "You can't do us by writing about the British and Irish team that is going to tour South Africa this year. Those Irishmen will be wearing the Union Jack and doing a grave injustice to their country," he wrote.

The sports editor of the Irish press (organ of Eamon De Valera's opposition party) replied that the last team to tour South Africa wore red jerseys, the badge on which combined the emblems of the four countries—Ireland's shamrock, England's rose, the Welsh symbol and Scotland's thistle.

"National flags have never, so far as we know appeared in international rugby crests. It's hardly likely that there will be any change this time," the editor said.

Ken Girard will return to the Dukes' lineup tonight. A forward on the first line with high-scoring Billy Harris and Bobby Purford, Girard missed the first game because of a slight injury and his absence upset the Marlboro attack. Coach Murray Armstrong of Pats said he would dress the same players, not using the three replacement permitted under CAHA rulings.

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TO MISS DERRY
LEXINGTON, Ky. (UP)—Blue ruler, a bay colt who was rated one of the best two-year-olds in the country last season, has been declared out of the 1955 Kentucky derby because of a flareup of fever in a leg which he once injured in training.

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HEANEYS

Boucher Mentioned For New Post

NEW YORK (CP)—Frank Boucher, said today he feels "highly honored" at being mentioned as possible managing director of Toronto's proposed civic stadium.

The all-time hockey great, who resigned Friday as general manager of the New York Rangers of the National Hockey League, told The Canadian Press in a statement this morning:

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ALLAN CUP DELIVERED THEN RESURRECTED

KITCHENER, Ont. (BUP)—Kitchener residents were still chuckling today after hearing how Canada's famed Allan Cup was delivered to a cemetery.

The Canadian senior hockey championship trophy was addressed to "The Manager, Memorial Gardens, Kitchener." It happens the local cemetery is named the Memorial Gardens.

Manager, Mrs. Barbara Brubacher, opened the crate when it was delivered and there stood the Allan Cup. She telephoned the Memorial Auditorium and had the cup picked up.

Teen-Age Track Star Real Olympic Prospect

By DON HOYT
Canadian Press Staff Writer

SAINT JOHN, N.B. (CP)—Walter Peters, teen-age track star, has set his sights on a mark that he believes training can put within his reach.

The 18-year-old student, who has broad-jumped to within 11½ inches of the Commonwealth record of 24 feet, 8½ inches, dreams of carrying Canada's colors in the 1956 or 1960 Olympics.

Peters and coaches who have worked with him agree he needs three ingredients to earn a crack at world track honors—more coaching, competitive seasoning and style.

A BIT ERRATIC

Robert A. Brodie, physical education director for local schools, says the high school athlete "has real potential but is a bit erratic. He has to prove himself when the pressure is on."

Pressure proved too much for Peters at last summer's British Empire Games trials in Vancouver.

He flubbed a berth on Canada's B.E.G. squad with a disappointing leap of 19 feet, 10½ inches—a yard short of the top Canadian jump.

"I had an off day and was out of condition," he says.

His Vancouver performance was a letdown for those who a few months earlier saw him broad jump 23 feet, 6½ inches, the top interscholastic mark in the country during 1954.

Art Pottle, a high school sports director here, says "if he can get back into that form he would be one of the top Olympic prospects in the Maritimes. He has lots of elasticity in his leg muscles."

MUST KEEP WORKING

Clarence Buff Powers, an unshakable confidence in the youth who opened his track career four years ago under Powers' tutelage.

Says Powers: "He has everything to reach the top... the heart, the will and a wonderful pair of legs. All he needs now is to keep working."

Rowing Fund

ABBOTSFORD, B.C. (CP)—Abbotsford and district chamber of commerce has set up a Michael Harris rowing fund to collect money to help send the UBC rowing crew to the Henley regatta in England.

Michael Harris of Abbotsford, is captain of the 1955 team, which last year won a gold medal at the British Empire Games.

YANKEE PROBLEM

Can Billy Fill Phil's Shoes?

By GAYLE TALBOT

NEW YORK (AP)—American League managers without exception this spring declared the Yankees would find themselves in deep trouble if Phil Rizzuto finally bowed to the years and Casey Stengel had to fall back on Billy Hunter as his shortstop, as now appears to be happening.

Hunter, who came up in 1953 labelled a dazzling fielder, was obtained by the Yanks in their wholesale player deal with Baltimore during the winter. While pitcher Bob Turley was the key figure in the big swap, the acquisition of Hunter as shortstop insurance also was widely acclaimed as a brilliant stroke by the Yankee front office.

TOO FANCY, SAYS FOE

But down in Florida we heard different. A rival manager summed it up:

"If he plays every day he'll drive Casey nuts. For two or three games Hunter will look like the world's greatest shortstop. He'll make impossible plays and every move will be a poem. Then, on an easy change in a crucial spot, he'll kick a game away. He's got to try to make every play beautiful."

"When Marty Marion had him with the St. Louis Browns he begged the kid just to make the plays for him, especially the simple ones, and to forget how he looked out there. But it did no good. The Yankees must not have seen him in enough games." And with Gerry Coleman, the regular second-sacker, out for upwards of two months with a collar-bone fracture suffered Friday, the Yankees are going to need all the infield steadiness they can get.

The irony of it is that in obtaining Hunter the Yankees gave up Willie Miranda, who beat them the other day with one of the greatest shortstop exhibitions ever seen at the stadium. When Willie fields a ball, it sticks.

JOKERS PRACTICE

Jokers of the Victoria Senior "B" Lacrosse League will hold a workout at Stevenson Park Sunday morning at 11. All of last year's players and anyone interested in playing for the team are invited to turn out.

LAMARTH FALLS, Ore.—Billy Lanza Corbett, 162, Sacramento, knocked out Perry Cobb, 161, Vallejo, Calif.

IT COULD BE!

Grid Switch To Help Soccer?

VANCOUVER (CP)—Toronto's loss of the Grey Cup game to Vancouver this year may mean a big boost for Canadian soccer.

That's the word from Jock Hendry of Vancouver, re-elected president of the Football Association of Canada at the recent annual meeting in Regina.

The executive decided to fill the vacuum left in Toronto by switching the Canadian soccer final from Vancouver to Toronto next fall.

"There's a tremendous amount of enthusiasm for soccer back east," Hendry said. "We thought we'd capitalize on this opportunity."

Soccer has fallen down in the matter of publicity, and the final, late in September, might not draw many spectators in competition with the Grey Cup.

Hendry says there is also a good chance a coast-to-coast international league for United States and Canadian teams may be formed in 1956. He will attend the U.S. Football Association's annual meeting in Atlantic City July 9-10 to discuss the idea.

The Regina meeting also discussed the possibility of Canada entering the world soccer tournament.

BOXLA PRACTICE

Coach Alex Macdonald of the Foul Bay senior B lacrosse team has scheduled the team's first practice Sunday morning at 10 at Stevenson Park. Last year's players and others interested are invited to turn out.

TIME OUT!



"I hate the ground they walk on as much as any Dodger fan, Joe, but maybe we're actin' hasty..."

HEARTS IN 1-1 DRAW

LONDON (Reuters)—St. Mirren and Hearts played a 1-1 draw in a Scottish League Division A soccer game Friday.

Senior Softball Clubs Prep for Opener, May 1

With just a week to go before opening day, the coaches in the Victoria Men's Senior "A" Softball League are slowly whipping their charges into shape.

The circuit this year will have five teams, with league games scheduled with Duncan and an interlocking schedule to be played with the New Westminster League.

League-winning Fletchers will go again with coach Joe Bryant in an effort to retain their championship. The club expects most of last year's players to return.

Arrow Furniture, edged out by Fletchers last year by one point, will again have Gar Taylor at the helm. This year, however, Arrows are experiencing personnel problems.

Collin Kilburn, team captain and starry forward of the Victoria Cougars, will take over

the reins of the Chinese Students this season in an effort to raise them from their fourth-place finish of last August.

Dark-horse Navy will have Mel Padgett as coach, while the youthful Tilllicums, last year's senior "B" Island champions, will make the big jump to senior "A" under coach Bud Ross.

Tilllicums are still having sponsorship difficulties, and if backing cannot be found, the

team may be sponsored by the league.

League opener is scheduled for Sunday, May 1, at Central Park, with the interlocking schedule with the New Westminster League to begin in June.

A meeting has been called for Monday night at 8 at the Chamber of Commerce board room in the Black Ball Ferry Building and all those connected with the league are urged to attend.



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Twin Cities in Market For Major Franchise

MINNEAPOLIS (CP)—Guiding forces behind a move to bring major league baseball to the twin cities of Minneapolis and St. Paul are viewing 1957 with honied hopes—and a barrel of unexpected cash.

Some of the optimistic believe the big league banners will be floating over the proposed stadium in suburban Bloomington by 1956. Most are convinced that big-time baseball will arrive here no later than 1957.

These sugary estimates spring from a willingness of baseball zealots to back up conversation with cash. A bond drive just ended added \$1,200,000 to previous bond commitments of about \$1,000,000 to finance the new stadium.

UNDERWRITING ASSURED

Major league supporters say they have been assured by investment houses that the remainder of the estimated \$4,500,000 stadium cost can be underwritten by bond sales.

Grading of the 160-acre site in Bloomington is expected to begin sometime in May. Bids for actual construction may be let as early as June 1.

Initially the plant might have a capacity of around 17,000. Once a major league commitment is made the seating would be expanded to 42,000.

"If the stadium is ready by next year," said Charles Johnson, executive editor of the Minneapolis Star and Tribune, "we should have major league baseball here by 1957."

Johnson has been one of the main movers behind the plan and a spokesman for twin cities baseball interests in the councils of the major leagues.

The twin cities were reported to be the first choice of major league owners in the transfer of both St. Louis Browns and Philadelphia Athletics.

But the only baseball stadiums here were undersized and antiquated Nicollet Park in Minneapolis and Lexington Park in St. Paul.

Where would the twin cities team come from?

Major league boosters here believe teams such as Washington, Cincinnati, Baltimore and perhaps New York Giants have a hard time resisting the temptation when a stadium is provided.

Betsy Rawls Five Under; Leads by Four

CARROLLTON, Ga. (UP)—Betsy Rawls of Spartanburg, S.C., playing one of the best rounds of her career, ran up a four-stroke lead in the opening round of the Carrollton women's open Friday with a blazing five-under-par 67, a record for the unique nine-hole course.

Miss Rawls, who won the title here in 1952 but has been an also-ran in women's PGA play since she took the Texas Open last October, snoved four strokes ahead of favored Patty Berg, who came in with a 71.

In third place with par 72 was Jackie Pung of Cincinnati. Miss Rawls whipped around the first nine holes in 32 strokes and came back in 35. Her red-hot putter accounted for putts of 20, 27 and 30 feet during the record-breaking round and she had seven birdies against a pair of bogies.

RACE RESULTS

GOLDEN GATE

First Race—Golden Book (Harmata) \$46.00 \$7.40 \$5.10
Ovington (Neves) 2.30 2.40
Blue Bull (Schell) 7.50
Time—1:51.5

Also: Glendower, Chess Nut, Royal Secret, Rush Rush, Boss Man, Gaiety, Choler, Samadon.

Second Race—Daring Honey \$10.50 \$6.40 \$3.70
I Love Nancy (Harmata) 6.40 1.40
Indictor (Ollison) 4.00
Time—1:12.5

Also: Second Down, Gloria Mundt, Biran, Cliff House, Princess Way, Loan Deal, Prince Alpine, Beau Brav, Fire Herd.

Daily double paid \$168.00.

Third Race—Mr. Bluebird (Shoemaker) \$9.50 \$3.00 \$2.80
W-Diamond (Martinez) 4.40 3.50
Carrot Bunch (Mase) 6.30
Time—1:43.5

Also: Khal Me Later, Speedie, Don't First, Reading Star, Spend 'n Valor, Great Count, Lucio Jr.

Fourth Race—Vivian (Harmata) \$25.00 \$9.50 \$4.80
Presideo (Trelo) 6.70 3.40
Glory Z (Shoemaker) 3.10
Time—1:12.5

Also: Biddy Sue, The Dodger, Third Down, Miss Cover Up, Lighthouse Mill, Star GINGER.

Fifth Race—Cover Me Up (Shoemaker) \$6.40 \$4.00 \$2.10
Butter (Neves) 8.00 1.50
First Charge (Schell) 6.00
Time—1:13.5

Also: Timely Story, Bright Aspect, Doe Dominio, Wire Line.

Sixth Race—Contribution (York) \$10.50 \$7.20 \$5.00
D-Dark Khal (Baird) 3.10 6.40
Alle-Ea (Harmata) 2.50 2.50
Time—1:47.5

Also: Cunnamulla, Bold Trip, Bart's Rock, Snow Prince, Dauber Chole, D-Dark Khal original winner, disqualified for foul and placed second.

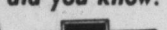
Seventh Race—Nannie Jo (York) \$3.30 \$2.00 \$2.50
Pay Section (Baird) 3.70 2.50
Rock of Ages (Speed) 3.30
Time—1:40.4

Also: The Lotti, Buffoon II, Private Abber.

Eighth Race—Vandetta (Shoemaker) \$8.00 \$2.80 \$2.80
Mintling (York) 4.70 2.70
Fronty Pace (Ollison) 5.20
Time—1:34.4

Also: Advance Agent, En Busa, Profit, Luck Stone, Amx, Mixture, Lazy Jo, Royal Decree, Lomitas Time.

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OUT OUR WAY

The Willets

By J. R. Williams

OH, MOTHER, ARE THERE ANY MORE STARS DOWN IN THE CLOSET?

YOU'RE A FAST FINGER, YOUNG LAD. I'D BETTER TAKE SOME OF THE STARS AND PUT THEM IN THE CLOSET!

I'LL HELP YOU!

WHAT IS THAT THING?

ON MY GOODNESS, HERE COMES WILLIE! HELP ME GET ALL THESE STARS OUT QUICK!

JUST A MINUTE! I HAVE TO WATCH YOU LIKE A HAWK!

THAT'S WHAT I SAID! YOU LIKE A SNEAKY, DIRTY TRICK!

AND NOW YOU'D YOU LIKE A SNEAKY, DIRTY TRICK?

ANY THE MORE AND MORE!

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ANY THE MORE AND MORE!

Home Run Hero Strikes Out!

MY SKIN SURE IS A MESS. BUT WHAT CAN A FELLOW DO?

I'M THE NOXZEMA LADY.

HERE'S HOW TO HELP! HEAL BLEMISHES FAST!

SURE I HIT HOMERUNS, BUT I'M JUST A FOUL BALL TO CORA.

MAYBE YOU'LL SEE WHY IN THIS MIRROR!

I WAS HOPING YOU'D ASK ME TO WEAR YOUR CLASS RING, HARRY.

HARRY IS REALLY BATTING 1000 SINCE HE DID SOMETHING ABOUT HIS BLEMISHES.

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BUZ Sawyer

FEATURING HIS PAL ROBO SWEENEY By ROY CRANE

I WAS TELLING UNCLE ORVIE HOW YOU TAUGHT A BIRD DOG TO FLY, AND YOU KNOW WHAT HE SAID?

WHAT'D HE SAY, SCOOTER?

OH, HE DID. DID HE? WERE IT NOT WHY AGEN'T YOU BE RICH?

FATE, SONNY, I WOULD BE RICH.

IMAGINE MY SURPRISE ONE DAY TO HEAR THOSE MOCKING BIRDS TRYING TO SING "SWEET ADOLINE" IN HARMONY EACH CARRYING A DIFFERENT PART!

DANG MY DINGIES! THEY'RE IMITATING MY BARBERSHOP QUARTET!

"I'D BE A MILLIONAIRE! YES, SIRE! BUT IT'S A SAD STORY, SCOOTER. IT STARTED WHEN A STORM BLEW A NEST OF BIRDS OUT OF A TREE... AND I RAISED THEM."

HUNGRY, EH?

"WELL, SIR, I TAUGHT THOSE LITTLE RASCALS ALL I KNEW. BOY, WERE THEY GOOD! COULD THEY SING!"

SPLENDID! NOW LET'S TRY "DOWN BY THE OLD MILL STREAM."

"THINK OF IT... CARNEGIE HALL! WE'D BARELY BEGUN OUR OPENING NUMBER WHEN SOMEBODY... PERHAPS A JEALOUS MUSICIAN... PUSHED A DONKEY ONTO THE STAGE."

AND THAT CONFUNDED A CRITTER THOUGHT HE COULD SING!

SEE! LOOK! MY EXCITABLE LITTLE PRIMA-DONNAS WENT WILD! TRIED TO DROWN HIM OUT! THE MOCKING BIRDS "QUAWKED, THE SWANS TOOTED "SWANEE RIVER," THE DRUMFOOT DRUMMED BOOGIE-WOOGIE... ALL AT THE... SAME TIME! IT WAS AWFUL!"

POSITIVELY SENSATIONAL! CONTRACT FOR \$1,000,000 FOR A YEAR. PROVIDED YOUR OPENING CONCERT AT CARNEGIE HALL IS A SUCCESS.

"ONLY ONE THING WORRIED ME—LIKE MOST GREAT ARTISTS, MINE WERE TEMPERAMENTAL. HIGH-STRESSING."

BUT I WASN'T SATISFIED HAVING THE WORLD'S MOST REMARKABLE ORCHESTRA TO ACCOMPANY THEM.

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TWO FOR THE SHOW: Bouquets, brickbats. Phil Lee sees the shows and frankly calls them as he sees them in his outspoken column on the movies in Victoria Daily Times most days of the week.

DID YOU EVER?
by LITTLE LULU



1.
A TISSUE BOX CAN CAUSE SUCH WASTE!
IT REALLY IS A CRIME!
WHY NOT USE THE HANDY BOX
THAT SERVES ONE AT A TIME?

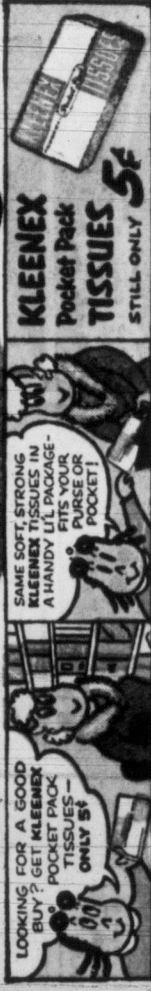


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FOR KLEENEX, POPS UP STURDY, SOFT,
AND NIMBLE AS A BUNNY!
BY SERVING ONLY WHAT YOU NEED
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For extra softness -
extra strength.



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POCKET PACK
TISSUES -
ONLY 5¢
KLEENEX
Pocket Pack
TISSUES 5¢
STILL ONLY 5¢

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VICTORIA SUNDAY TIMES COMICS

April 23, 1955

**Prince of
Vanant**
by H. R. Hooper



Our Story - THE WEDDING FEAST IS FAST
BECOMING A REVELL, YET ALETA SITS
THERE, CALM AND COOL AS AN IVORY
FIGURINE. NEITHER FEAR NOR CONTEMPT
DOES SHE SHOW, BUT EVERY BEAT OF HER
HEART CRIES: DELAY, DELAY, DELAY!



DRAGDA KHAN DRAINS ANOTHER CUP.
WILL THE LASH MAKE HER MORE ATTEN-
TIVE? NO. SHE IS ALREADY DECEASED. YOU
DO NOT LASH A THOROUGHLY TROTTED
HE LONGS TO WIN HER REGARD, HER
ADMIRATION.



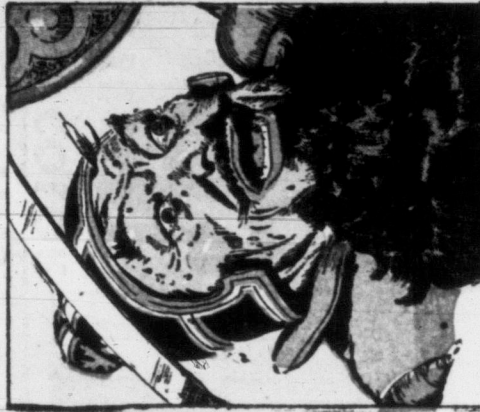
THE TIME HAS COME TO PUT HER PLAN
TO WORK. HE IS STUFFED WITH FOOD
AND DRINK. SHE TURNS TO HIM AND
SAYS: "IN MY COUNTRY A HERO
DANCES BEFORE HIS BRIDE...."



...FIRST THE FORMAL WARRIOR DANCE... THEN, TO
SHOW HIS COURAGE AND ENDURANCE HE DEPICTS
HIS SWORD PLAY, HIS VICTORIES... BUT PERCHANCE
YOU CAN NO LONGER DANCE. DRAGDA KHAN LURCHES
TO HIS FEET. "BRING THE PIPES, THE DRUMS! I DANCE!"



FOR SO HUGE A MAN HE IS SURPRISINGLY LIGHT ON
HIS FEET. HE SEES THE LOOK OF ADMIRATION ON
ALETA'S FACE AND REDOUBLES HIS EFFORTS. SHE
PRAYS THAT HE WILL COLLAPSE AND SO DELAY THE
WEDDING. SHE CLAPS HER HANDS IN ENCOURAGEMENT.



SWEAT POURS DOWN HIS FLUSHED
FACE. HE GASPS, THE THIN WAIL OF
THE PIPES AND THE THROBBING DRUMS
DRIVE HIM TO FRENZY.



NOW HIS FACE BECOMES ASHEN... IN HIS EYES A LOOK
OF CHILDISH BEWILDERMENT. "MY QUEEN, MY QUEEN!"
HE GASPS AND PITCHES FORWARD AT HER FEET.
NEXT WEEK - The Fight for Time.

See Daily Times - World Sport, Spot News Pictures

VICTORIA SUNDAY TIMES COMICS

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Whale of a Sight in Store if Albino Alice Stays on Course

By HUMPHRY DAVY
The Pacific Ocean's most famous whale has been sighted once again off the east coast of Vancouver Island—apparently heading in the direction of Victoria.

Alice, the albino killer whale, who has been seen by hundreds of fishermen, was sighted at Nanose Bay this week by A. G. Waldon of Balenas Light Station. The last time the mammal was observed was in Swanson Channel on September 22 last year.

Biologists, naturalists, fishermen, lighthouse keepers, ship captains have been watching the movements of Alice since 1946. Reports of her whereabouts are sent to Dr. Clifford Carl, director of the Provincial Museum, who is keeping a record.

Alice is probably the only whale in the world known as an individual. That is because she can easily be spotted among others of her species by her unusual creamy-white color and dark dorsal fin.

So well have people kept watch on her activities, that Alice was unable to hide from the world that she had a baby albino in November, 1950. She was spotted with her offspring off Trial Island by Capt. V. Johnston, skipper of the federal fisheries boat "Egret Plume."

The mammal is always seen with a school of killer whales in Vancouver Island waters. She has been seen by many Victorians over the years off Oak Bay, Sooke and Sidney.

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BETWEEN TIMES

By MONTE ROBERTS

I smother the waterfront, or, who reports on the marine reporter when the marine reporter is reporting marine?

A letter to the editor suggests this snarly old man be put in his place for criticizing Bert Thomas' remarks about the weatherman.

The suggestion is (a) Mr. Thomas should swim Juan de Fuca Strait (b) fill a bucket with water from same, and (c) compel me to drink it.

I am all in favor of parts (a) and (b) of the suggestion. As for (c), just a dash of bitters, please, Bert. But no olive. I can't stand olives.

People should be kinder to us marine reporters. We are pretty hard-pressed this year. Not only do we have our usual quota of small boats capsizing, round-the-world adventurers making port, and Caddy being sighted, but there are more Straits challenges than there are reporters.

Bulletin from Department of Transport which will, no doubt, be sent out any day now.

NOTICE TO SHIPPING NO. 48

Mariners are advised of aquatic exercises being carried out in areas 1, 2, 3 and 4, Juan de Fuca Strait, from Race Rocks to Discovery Island, and from Brothie Ledge to the International Boundary and beyond but that is the U.S. Coast Guard's worry, thank goodness.

Mariners are warned to exercise extreme caution when proceeding in this area, or, better still, proceed elsewhere. Victoria, B.C. District Marine Agent

The radio broadcasters, too, are making plans for a busy summer. The Roving Reporter program is to be shifted to a boat anchored in the middle of Juan de Fuca, and it is to be re-titled the Man-in-the-Strait Broadcast.

It will sound a little like this:

"Ah here comes a swimmer now... your name, sir... glad to have you on the broadcast, Mr. Club... here is a small token from our sponsor, Minnie the Mermaid's Olde Gift Shoppe... a bar of floating soap."

"And here comes another swimmer... let's see if we can get a word from him on our Man in the Strait Broadcast... we can't give you much time, sir, I see another swimmer approaching..."

We will now sing a chorus or two of that tender ballad, a Child's Lament for her Channel Swimming Father. All together now, a-one, a-two, a-three:

"Don't go down in the brine today, daddy, poor mother Juan's you at home."

TOPICS OF THE TIMES

Charge of failing to stop for a stop sign at Helmcken Road and the new Trans-Canada Highway brought a fine of \$10 and \$3.50 costs for Knut Andrew Krogstad, Metchoshin, when he appeared on the charge today in Colwood RCMP court.

Bhag Singh, Victoria, was fined \$10 and \$3 costs when convicted in Colwood RCMP court today on a charge of dropping wood from his fuel truck on the highway.

Charge of owning an unlicensed dog brought a fine of \$5 and \$3 costs for Robert John Bool, Colwood, when he appeared in Colwood RCMP court today.

Arthur W. Mason, 1252 Denman Street, was remanded to Thursday to set a date for trial when he pleaded not guilty in city police court today to a charge of driving while his ability was impaired by alcohol.

Vancouver Island Play Group Association will meet Wednesday at 8 p.m. with the Children's Garden Library Play Group at 1210 Tattersall. Speakers will be Marion James, supervisor of primary education for Greater Victoria Schools, and Mrs. Hans Molholm, kindergarten specialist, recently of Denmark. All parents of pre-school children are invited to attend.

Next meeting of Esquimalt Council will be held at the municipal hall on Monday at 7.30 p.m.

P. A. Dahl will address the Kiwanis Club of Victoria North next Tuesday on "The Story of Plastics." Meeting will be held at 6.15 p.m. in the Monterey restaurant.

Thomas Dick, 24, Songhees Reserve, was fined \$50 and \$5.50 costs or 10 days in jail when he appeared in Colwood RCMP court today charged with being in possession of an intoxicant on an Indian reserve March 26. RCMP said Dick elected to serve the prison term.

Oak Bay Schools Band will take part in a band clinic to be held in New Westminster May 12 and 13, the monthly

Parents' Association meeting decided Thursday. The band will also hold a concert May 23 on Salt Spring Island. Association project for the coming season will be providing musical instruments.

Charge of allowing minors to consume liquor on premises at 767 Falkland brought a \$50 fine for Mrs. May Corbett in Oak Bay police court Friday. Police said the charge arose following a March 26 party at her home at which a large number of youths were present.

Netherlands' ambassador to Canada, A. H. J. Lovink, is at Lake Cowichan today fishing with Lukas Krugbosch, consul in Vancouver.

He is scheduled to visit the twin paper mill towns of Port Alberni and Alberni, touring operations there, and to meet Dutch settlers in the area.

Two motorists were fined when they appeared in Colwood RCMP court today on traffic charges.

Fined \$25 and \$3 costs was Gerald Harold Robertson, Sooke. RCMP said he was recently pined at between 75 and 80 mph in a 50-mph zone at Glen Lake. Mathias John Gailling, Langford, was fined \$10 and \$3 costs for exceeding a 30-mph limit.

\$250,000 Cafe Planned for Douglas Site

Arsens Follows North Development

A new \$250,000 restaurant on Douglas Street, between Caledonia and Discovery, is planned by Paul Arsens, well-known Victoria restaurateur.

Mr. Arsens now operates the Dominion and Sussex restaurants.

He recently acquired the property, and tenders will be called soon. Mr. Arsens said costs had not been gone into yet, but including the property, the building cost will probably run to \$175,000. The equipment and fittings will likely run the total to \$250,000.

Business development northward on Douglas Street is the main reason for his choice of location, Mr. Arsens said.

PARKING CARS

"We want more parking space for the restaurant business and in this location we are going to get it," he added. The site is on the west side of Douglas, taking in the entire block—to provide adequate parking space for about 200 automobiles.

The Phoenix Lucky Lager brewery is in the background of the new restaurant site. Plans and specifications for the restaurant are being prepared by architects Sharp and Thompson, Berwick, Pratt and Charles E. Craig.

Mr. Arsens explained it was the intention to establish a large, central kitchen in connection with the new city eating house from where the other restaurants operated, like the Dominion and Sussex, would be served with piping-hot food from the central kitchens. A "take-out" and food-delivery system also is being considered in connection with the project.



MEMBERS of all district Liberal groups are being invited to hear an address by Natural Resources and Northern Affairs Minister Jean Lesage, Tuesday, May 10, at 6.15 p.m. in McEwen's restaurant. He will speak under auspices of the Laurier Club. It will be his first visit here since he became a member of the federal cabinet.

STRAIT TEMPERATURE TODAY

(For Challengers and Fans) At Race Rocks—46.0 Deg. Courtesy Dept. of Transport



FRECKLE-SPECKLED Sylvia Molesworth, 11, grins because she took top award of Greater Victoria Philatelic Society Junior Stamp Club in its first exhibition Friday night. Competitors ranged up to 16 years.

Junior Stamp Club Holds First Show

Nine Victoria youngsters took home prizes from the first Victoria Junior Stamp Club exhibition Friday night at the Orange Hall.

Forty frames of foreign and domestic postage stamps were shown by the club, whose members range from seven to 16 years.

Prize of a spring-back stamp album for the best exhibit in the show went to Sylvia Molesworth, 11, of Cordova Bay.

80 MEMBERS

The 80-member group, which was started with 36 junior collectors last September by L. E. Small of the Greater Victoria Philatelic Society, holds meetings monthly and will take part in a philatelic society showing in Crystal Garden lower ballroom May 14, 1-10 p.m.

Mr. Small says the younger collectors are aided in their school work by learning philately, although few realize they are expanding their knowledge. The club holds small group

contests and panel discussions to boost competitive spirit in the organization.

President of the Greater Victoria Philatelic Society, A. Wildig, presented prizes in five classifications for the two age groups—seven to 11 and 12 to 16. They went to:

Michael McIvor (Canada), Michael Young (foreign), Glen da-Fay Kaiser (covers), Marion Small (British Empire), Sylvia Molesworth (topical), Wayne Fullerton (Canada), Wayne Fullerton (foreign), Brian Small (covers), Ronald Pinfold (British Empire).

JUDGES

Judges were Mrs. Charles Strable, Mrs. Donald Alexander and Jean Roberts, all of the philatelic society.

Hosts for the evening were junior president Wayne Fullerton, executive members Brian Small, Ronald Pinfold, Marion Small, Patricia McIvor and Helen Small, assisted by senior counsellors Mr. Wildig, R. Clarke and Mr. Small.

Ex-Detective William Stark Dead at 75

William Stark, 75, well-known detective on the Victoria city police until his retirement in 1939, died suddenly Friday at Royal Jubilee Hospital after having suffered a seizure at his home.

Born in Glasgow, he joined the Victoria force in 1913, and was made a detective in 1923. He held the rank until his retirement, working for several years as "partner" with the late Charles Cramer.

After leaving the city force he worked with the Esquimalt police during the war years, both in uniform and as a plain-clothes man, and in more recent years was employed at the British Public Schools Club.

Surviving are his widow, Annie, at the family home, 1705 Foul Bay Road; five sons, William and Dr. Robert Stark, Victoria; George and James, Los Angeles; John, Vancouver; two daughters, Mrs. D. A. Jaquith, Toronto, and Mrs. Jeanette Graves, Victoria; a brother, Robert, Victoria, and two sisters.

Funeral service will be held Tuesday at 3 p.m. at McCall Bros. chapel, when pallbearers will be John McLellan, J. G. Florence, Fearon Woodburn, Henry Jervis, W. Richards and James Strong, all former colleagues with him on the city force.

Interment will take place at Royal Oak.

Burned 13-Year-Old Shows Improvement In Fight for Life

City school girl Gloria Stratford, 13, today appeared to be gaining strength in her week-old battle for life at St. Joseph's Hospital.

Hospital authorities said she was still on the "very critical" list but was "slightly improved."

It was the first favorable report given since she was taken to hospital suffering severe burns after an accident in her home April 15 when her clothing caught fire from an electric heater.

WEATHER OUTLOOK GRIM FOR PONTOON PADDLER

Unless wind conditions improve unexpectedly overnight, paddler-swimmer R. B. Ordano, 54-year-old strait challenger from Vancouver, will postpone his attempt until May 8.

Gale-force west-south-westerlies Friday night and this morning churned the chilly waters into foam-topped crests. Forecast calls for 20-mile-per-hour winds Sunday morning, time originally set for Mr. Ordano to take off on his twin-pontoon craft.

Trouble Ship Brings Work To City Yard

Cruise Ship Conversion to Include Swimming Pool, New Cabins, Lounges

Victoria shipyards will be invited to bid on a major conversion job on the Panama-flag passenger ship Mazatlan, the former Ss. Alaska of Alaska Steamship Lines.

The ship was taken in tow at Coos Bay, Ore., today by Island Tug & Barge Ltd., and is expected to arrive at Victoria Monday night or Tuesday morning.

She was here previously for temporary fitting out after lying as a "dead" ship at Seattle for some time. Her new owners had intended to complete fitting out at a U.S. port, but preliminary bids prepared by Victoria yards persuaded them to have the work done here.

PICKETED

The ship was picketed at Seattle and Coos Bay by seamen's unions protesting her transfer from the U.S. to Panamanian flag. A Mexican crew was flown here to take her south, but crew and officers were removed at Coos Bay when the ship experienced engine trouble. She is believed to have burned out a generator.

Exact extent of conversion work to be done here will not be known until the ship is surveyed. Definite plans call for the installation of a swimming pool, rebuilding several of the cabins and recreation rooms, and gen-plant-up.

Work is expected to take at least six weeks.

King Bros. Ltd. is Victoria agent for the owners. The ship will be used for cruises from Southern California to West Coast Mexican ports.

EX-PREMIER IMPROVED

Condition of former premier Byron I. Johnson, in Royal Jubilee Hospital, today was described as "much better" by members of his family.

He has been hospitalized the past week.

Fifty-Five Cadets On Graduate List

Fifty-five cadets will graduate from two-year courses at Royal Roads tri-services college at ceremonies commencing at 2.30 p.m. next Friday.

Rear-Admiral J. C. Hibbard, Flag Officer, Pacific Coast, will take the salute, inspect the cadet wing and present the annual awards.

Four cadets from B.C. are among those graduating. The complete list follows:

R. J. W. Blacker, Lindsay, Ont.; R. G. Blakely, Sarnia, Ont.; D. R. Bobb, London, Ont.; E. C. Brady, New Westminster, B.C.; W. J. Broughton, Cardinal Heights, Ont.; T. I. V. Campbell, Chapleau, Ont.; H. W. Causier, Weyburn, Sask.; J. D. N. Cheeke, Shawanigan Lake, B.C.; R. D. Cook, Sarnia, Ont.; D. M. Coulter, Calgary, Alta.; E. D. Crook, Richmond, Que.; R. W. Culley, Medicine Hat, Alta.

J. DeWilde, Oost-Vlaanderen, Belgium; T. G. Drummond, Winnipeg, Man.; J. A. Fox, Bedford, N.S.; R. A. Froebel, Sanguito, Alta.; E. Gage, Rexdale, Ont.; L. M. Gilliland, New Westminster, B.C.; B. J. Golpin, Brownsburg, Que.; D. C. Grimster, Port Rowan, Ont.; A. D. Hale, Warner, Alta.; E. J. Healey, Owen Sound, Ont.; R. J. Hicks, Bloomfield, Ont.

C. D. C. Jacobs, Antwerp, Belgium; R. F. Jefferies, Brewer's Mills, Ont.; R. A. Jutras, Kirkland Lake, Ont.; G. Y. Kato, Vernon, B.C.; E. J. Kearley, St. John's, Nfld.; J. C. Kennedy, London, Ont.; P. A. Kirk, Toronto, Ont.; R. W. Kristjanson, Winnipeg, Man.; D. Lamarre, Toronto, Ont.; E. B. Law, Downsview, Ont.

Q.—After whom was the Portland Canal named? F.G.L.

A.—The arm of the sea known as Portland Inlet, with its northern part, known as the Portland Canal, which is the boundary between the southern extremity of the panhandle of Alaska and B.C., was named in 1793 by Capt. Vancouver in honor of the dual house of Portland.

Q.—Will you please tell me where to write to obtain information on the West Indies? B.L.

A.—It is suggested you write to the Trade Commissioner for the British West Indies and the Bahamas, 37 Board of Trade Building, Montreal, Que. Canada and the B.W.I. maintain close and growing trade relations and their trade commissioners have information of all sorts about their countries. The Canadian trade commissioner has his offices in the Colonial Building, 72 South Quay, Trinidad, his territory including Barbados, the Windward and Leeward Islands, British Guiana, Dutch Guiana, French Guiana and the French West Indies.

Drug Outlets Get Trickle Of Salk Vaccine

A thin trickle of scarce Salk polio vaccine has seeped through to Victoria wholesale drug outlets, it was learned today.

But the quantity arriving here was so small as to be almost useless, according to an eastern drug supply representative.

He said: "I can only say that a small shipment has arrived. We may get more tomorrow or next month."

He added that his company, one of six national supply houses, feels production will catch up to demand by the summer "danger" season.

It was not learned what use would be made of the precious vaccine now in the city. It wouldn't begin to fill the more than 6,000 orders known to have been placed with city druggists.

Members of Victoria Medical Association have stated that first prescriptions for the vaccine will be issued to expectant mothers and infants.

Power Station Hearing Resumes

Public hearing on an application of the B.C. Electric Co. for rezoning of land, near Borden Street in the Lake Hill district, for the erection of a \$1,000,000 power substation, will be resumed at 8 p.m. next Thursday at the Royal Oak Municipal Hall.

ASK The TIMES

Q.—After whom was the Portland Canal named? F.G.L.

A.—The arm of the sea known as Portland Inlet, with its northern part, known as the Portland Canal, which is the boundary between the southern extremity of the panhandle of Alaska and B.C., was named in 1793 by Capt. Vancouver in honor of the dual house of Portland.

Q.—Will you please tell me where to write to obtain information on the West Indies? B.L.

A.—It is suggested you write to the Trade Commissioner for the British West Indies and the Bahamas, 37 Board of Trade Building, Montreal, Que. Canada and the B.W.I. maintain close and growing trade relations and their trade commissioners have information of all sorts about their countries. The Canadian trade commissioner has his offices in the Colonial Building, 72 South Quay, Trinidad, his territory including Barbados, the Windward and Leeward Islands, British Guiana, Dutch Guiana, French Guiana and the French West Indies.

HEADLINES OF THE WEEK

PENTICTON MAYOR BOARD OF TRADE CHARGE NEW LAKE SPAN PRELIMINARY

NOW IF VICTORIA WAS IN WAC'S CONSTITUENCY I CAN'T PICTURE ANYONE HERE CRYING THAT A NEW PEELICE SPAN WOULD BE UNTIMELY!



NEW PRINCIPAL FOR VICTORIA HIGH H.L. SMITH RETIRES AFTER 41 YEARS

FOR HE'S A JOLLY GOOD FELLOW AND SO SAY ALL OF US!



TURF CLUB DEFIES SARNICH COUNCIL

COURAGE MEN!... I THINK THEY'RE JUST CALLING US TO THE POST... NOT PLAYING 'N' LAST POST



CITY BUS CUTS NOT AFFECTED BY PUC UPSET

OH WELL, IT WAS NICE THINKING THEY MIGHT HAVE BEEN!



PONTOON PADDLER TO TACKLE STRAIT

YUP!... STILL SAY THATS 'N' CHEAPEST, DRIEST, FASTEST AN' SAFEST WAY TO GET TO PORT ANGELES



By STAN DAVISON

The Church Page

By LANCE WHITTAKER

A reader of the Church Page is concerned with the "sordid" stress given to money-raising by the church these days.

The letter doesn't specify which particular church, but since it comes on the heels of a discussion of the Wells Organization at this week's meeting of the synod at Christ Church Cathedral, a few words on money-raising and the Wells group may not be amiss.

Singularly enough, it is because so many churches find mention of money "sordid" that the Wells people are enjoying spectacular success across the continent.

A reluctance to deal with practical financial matters is perhaps natural among men who are primarily concerned with affairs of the spirit, but even the clergy find it hard to maintain full-time enthusiasm for the ministry on a niggardly, subsistence-level salary, in a run-down church edifice saddled with debts. Money has a stubborn manner of intruding in any consideration of how the work of the church can be extended.

The synod has simply recommended that this fact be faced; that the question of financing each parish be put on a realistic basis so that lack of money will not be a determining factor in the spiritual growth of the parish. The Wells Organization is not the only professional firm in the field of raising money for the church, but it is the largest and most successful.



Whittaker

Originated With One Family

It originated in a church where the Wells family had membership, and where the male members of the family showed an ability to apply business principles to fund-raising without high pressure salesmanship, simply by calling upon the sense of stewardship in each member. Success in their own church brought calls from an ever-widening circle of communions to simplify their financial affairs. So general did the demand become that the Wells people felt a call to devote their entire time to the work.

Not a Campaign—A Method

Direction by the Wells Organization of a church building fund or budget project is not a "campaign" or "drive." Experience in Victoria (more than one city church has employed the service) shows that members of the congregation are seldom aware that a Wells representative is present; but results are evident in the quiet but insistent emphasis on stewardship, a consistent attitude toward financial responsibility by every member, and methods which assure steady income to the usually harried church treasurer.

Only by clear-headed, business-like planning can the provisions of fund for church work be placed in its rightful perspective in the work of the church.

It is when the money aspect is lofty and persistently ignored until lack of funds weakens and endangers the whole church program that its discussion becomes paramount and overshadows every other consideration.

Then, indeed, deliberations of church boards become "sordid."

NEWS OF CITY CHURCHES

Sunday Service Marked By Cadet Church Parade

Cadets of No. 89 Kinsmen Squadron, RCAF Cadets, and from Royal Roads Canadian Services College will parade to churches of three denominations Sunday morning.

Marching on Belleville Street opposite the CPR wharf at 10 a.m. they will march in three groups to Christ Church Cathedral, St. Andrew's Cathedral and the First Baptist Church.

At Christ Church Cathedral the service, choral eucharist will be conducted by the dean, Very Rev. P. R. Beatty who will also preach at evening at 7:30.

Rev. George W. Lang will conduct evening at the James Bay Hall at 7:30. Holy communion will be celebrated in the cathedral at 8 and 9 a.m.

Command chaplain H. Pike will preach at the morning service in First Baptist Church. Mrs. C. Hilton will be soloist.

At Emmanuel Baptist Church the pastor, Rev. James E. Smith will preach in the morning on the subject "Getting Right With God."

The evening service will be conducted by the Young Adults Group, with the theme "God Chose a Woman."

Dr. W. W. McPherson will be in charge of services at Oak Bay United Church Sunday. His morning topic is "The Greatest Victory," and for the evening service, "A Great Text in Four Settings."

Rev. Frank Johnson will preach at the morning service in First United Church on Sunday on the subject, "Where Is Christ?"

In the evening, Rev. Moir A. J. Waters will preach on the subject, "A Trial Trip Through Life."

At Metropolitan United Church Dr. F. E. H. James will preach at both the morning and evening service his subject will be, "Are We Really Christian?"

In the evening Dr. James will preach on "The Rewards of Christian Living."

At Centennial United Church, the morning service will be conducted by Rev. T. R. Haythorne, B.A. of Fairfield United Church. At the evening service, the minister, Rev. Douglas B. Carr, will preach on, "The Night a Mighty King Trembled," second in a series: "Eventful Nights of the Bible in the Light of Today."

The regular weekly service of Langford United Church will be conducted by Rev. H. P. Davidson in Belmont High School, Sunday, at 11 a.m. Those desiring to donate labor on the new church are asked to phone James Jackson at 8-3695.

Morning service in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church Sunday will be conducted by Rev. George McMillen, B.A. BD. of Nanaimo, when the sermon subject will be "Cross-Currents in the Bible." In the evening Rev. Charles Maclean, B.A. RCN, will conduct the service and speak on "Never Grow Tired of Doing What Is Right."

The Sacrament of Infant Baptism will be administered at the morning service. Sunday school will be held at the usual hours.

Oddfellow and Rebekah Lodges of Victoria will attend the 7:30 p.m. service in St. John's Anglican Church. Holy Communion will be celebrated at 8:30 a.m. and Matins at 11 a.m. Frederick Chubb will play organ preludes from 7:10.

The Men's Guild of St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, will meet in the parish hall, Yale Street, Thursday, at 8:30 p.m., to hear R. C. T. Golding in a talk on Hong Kong Illustrated by colored slides. Services in St. Mary's Church will be conducted by the rector. There will be Holy Communion at 8:30 a.m., Matins and sermon at 11 a.m., and Evensong at 7.

Rev. Emma M. Smiley will speak at both the morning and evening service at Victoria Truth Centre. Her subject in the morning is "Have We a New Religion?" and in the evening, "According to Matthew."

ALL BISHOPS HERE NEXT SUNDAY

Consecration Rites Invoke Ceremonial of the Centuries

By W. S. HENDERSON

With all the stately sacred ceremonial of the centuries, a bishop for the huge diocese of Kootenay will be consecrated in Christ Church Cathedral a week from Sunday. There, on the morning of May 1, the Feast of St. Philip and St. James, Very Rev. Philip R. Beatty, B.A., D.D., dean and rector of the cathedral for approximately three years, will be elevated to the episcopate of the Anglican Church in Canada.

The consecrator, Most Rev. Harold E. Sexton, Archbishop and Metropolitan of the Ecclesiastical Province of British Columbia, is expected to be joined in the service by all the bishops of his province, Archbishop Walter R. Adams, former Metropolitan; Rt. Rev. Sir Francis Heathcote, Bt., former Bishop of New Westminster (Vancouver) and Rt. Rev. Stephen F. Bayne, Bishop of Olympia, a well-known figure of the sister church in the United States and a warm friend of Victoria's cathedral since he became head of the diocese in Washington state in 1947 after service in the U.S. chaplaincy service during the Second World War.

LONG PROCESSION
In the long procession which makes its way through the great congregation will be those Victoria and Island clergy who will find it possible to leave their own parishes on that day. Representing the diocese of Kootenay will be Dean Leadbeater, rector of the cathedral at Nelson; Archbishop Resker, and as a lay delegate, O. St. P. Aitkens, veteran treasurer of the Kootenay diocese.

The Litany is to be sung in procession, an impressive part of the rites, with the congregation joining in the responses. In the Communion service the epistoler will be Bishop Sovereign, formerly of Athabasca. The gradual will be hymn 487 and the gospel will be the Bishop of Olympia. The Nicene Creed will be followed by the archbishop, Psalm 150 will be sung.

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IN THE CONSECRATION SERVICE in Christ Church Cathedral May 1 Bishop Gower of New Westminster (Vancouver), left above, will share with Archbishop Adams the duty of presenting Bishop Beatty to the consecrator. Bishop Bayne of Olympia (right), known personally to many members of the congregation, will read the Gospel in the Communion service.

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Shrubs, decorative pools and rock plants make "Oakwood," the attractive home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Jolivet on Nicholson Road, an interesting garden to visit. It will be open for the Wednesday afternoon tour.



The spacious garden at "Aloha," the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Ostler, 3001 McAnally Road, will be open Thursday morning for the tour. Mrs. Ostler is pictured above with her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Murray, and her granddaughter, Lynne.

of interest to *Women*

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Gardens at "Sunrise Hacienda," the home of Mr. F. L. Bishop, 3045 McAnally Road, will also be an attraction on Thursday morning. Mr. Bishop is pictured above with friends, left to right, Mrs. Lee Kelly, Mrs. H. T. McGregor and Mrs. J. W. Anderson.

Spring Garden Festival

April 27 to 30
inclusive

The Victoria Horticultural Society, with co-operation from owners of some of the most attractive gardens in the city, has arranged a series of garden tours next Wednesday to Saturday, inclusive, during their annual Spring Garden Festival. These tours are planned to acquaint Victoria citizens and visitors with the beauties of the residential parts of the city.

Buses will leave 906 Government Street every morning at 9.30 a.m. (Daylight Time) and in the afternoon at 1.30 p.m., each day of the festival. Those using private cars may, if they wish, follow these buses which will take the most scenic routes and stop at gardens opened each day. Printed programs, with descriptions of some of these gardens are available from 906 Government Street or from members of the Horticultural Society. Slogan for the week of the festival is: "In All of Canada, Spring Comes First to Victoria."

Arranged By
ELIZABETH FORBES
Women's Editor



Photos By
IRVING STRICKLAND

Scenic pool at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bloomfield, 237 King George Terrace, will be much admired by visitors during the Thursday afternoon tour. A special tour to the Butchart Gardens will be made on Friday evening.



Mrs. David Spencer has included her garden at "The Rock," 2906 Cook Street, in the Wednesday afternoon tour and again on Saturday afternoon. This garden has been built on a natural rock outcropping. Here you will find tulips, wallflowers and rock plants in addition to other flowers and shrubs.



Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lyons will open the gates of their artistic garden at 2650 Arbutus Road for the Thursday afternoon tour. The gardens at Royal Roads Canadian Services College will be open on Wednesday morning and Government House gardens are included in the Saturday morning tour.

SHOPPING GUIDE

Here's an Improved Gadget To Cut Eggs Into Wedges

By PENNY SAVER

There always seems to be a new gadget appearing on the counters. The idea of this one isn't new, but the construction of it is. It's an egg-slicer made along lines of a guillotine. I know that sounds rather harsh, but that's the only way I can describe it. Just set the egg in a little trough, press down on the lever, wires on the moveable attachment cut through the egg, and there you have wedges... six of them. Not the usual slices. This egg slicer is made in Germany, and costs \$1.25.

Rafia belts are beginning to show in town now with suntime clothes. I was informed that only one company is making the distinctive line of belts I saw today.

I won't even begin to try to tell you the host of colors that were displayed. There were all kinds of solids, and combinations to choose from. Different weaves, and different widths... priced from 65 cents to \$2. Some of them are string type, a little wider than heavy cord. On the ends are metal tips that add a "little something" to your outfit.

For dressier occasions and evening wear, there are combinations of white or black with gold and silver. The wide belts, just made for summer blouse and cotton skirt combinations, aren't elasticized, but, being very pliable, they mold to the shape of your waist, and give the impression of being cincher belts.

Everything in tartans... that's what I thought when I entered one of our local shops this morning. I even found a

OF PERSONAL INTEREST

Bon Voyage Tea

Mrs. T. Mawhinney, 165 Sims Avenue, and Mrs. S. Thompson, 258 Crease Avenue, will leave Tuesday for Ireland, where guests of honor at a tea held in the Princess Mary Coffee Shop. Mrs. Mawhinney and Mrs. Thompson plan to be away for three months, visiting "home," which they have not seen for 29 and 25 years, respectively. Both were presented with a corsage of white carnations and a traveling clock. Mrs. Mawhinney's only daughter, Mrs. C. Hamilton, of Laurel, Maryland, was one of the tea guests. She is on a short visit to Victoria. Other guests were Mrs. T. Herberholz, Mrs. R. LeGrand, Mrs. L. Davies, Mrs. D. W. Davies, Mrs. R. Evans, Mrs. A. Kay, Mrs. M. Vanni, Mrs. R. Smale, Mrs. N. Dalman, Mrs. H. Edmonds, Jr., Mrs. H. Edmonds, Sr., Mrs. G. Bowcott, Mrs. S. Blanchard, Mrs. W. Yole, and Miss I. Smale.

WHY GROW OLD?

By JOSEPHINE LOWMAN

Proper Posture Is Most Essential in Bust Beauty

Earlier in the week I wrote about the proper fitting of undergarments and today I have more tips from the Corset and Brassiere Association in addition to my own advice on proper posture as it affects your bust.

The Corset and Brassiere Association urges women to have a corsetiere show them how to adjust the straps of their brassieres.

"Many a short-waisted woman looks more short-waisted because her bra straps are too loose to lift the bosom, thus the line from bust to waist is shortened," they say.

I recently have written that the longer the distance between the bust and the natural waistline the more beautiful the figure is.

The way your brassiere supports is an important factor, but posture probably has a greater impact than all other factors. No matter how large or small a bust you have or what kind of a bra you wear, it is all lost if you do not hold yourself correctly.

NEW PHRASE

I am now going to coin a new phrase. Let's call it "Josephine Lowman's Beauty Line"—that

Miss Heim Awards 'Spur' and 'Oscar'

As evaluator, Miss Barbara Heim awarded the Spur to Mrs. B. Prevost for her impromptu speech on "Woods" at meeting of Victoria Toastmistress Club and the Oscar for best speech of the evening to Mrs. K. Simpson for her impromptu on "Timber."

Mrs. C. C. Warren presided and a table topic regarding scientific interpretations for laymen was conducted by Mrs. L. Gordon. Speakers during the evening were Mrs. F. Holdridge, Mrs. Prevost, Mrs. S. Roberts, Mrs. B. Grant, Mrs. Simpson, Mrs. S. Brown, Mrs. C. Ivings and Miss Rita Rodger. Mrs. Warren gave the vote of thanks. Timer was Mrs. R. Rose; critics, Mrs. W. Dunnet, Miss P. L'Amie and Miss G. Mitchell; lexicologist, Miss A. Harness.

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In Step With Style

By NONA DAMASKE

Mother's Day—There are many "special" days set aside throughout the year, but I think the one we all know and treasure in our hearts is the Sunday in May that we honor our Mother.

Mother will not expect you to be extravagant but she will enjoy a small personal package, and gloves seem to be just the right gift. The Hansen Company of Milwaukee, Wis., designs gloves in a complete range of popular colors. Color is the news on hand in glove fashions this spring. Glove colors, this season, are more closely related to fashion colors than ever before. Where fashions have a shock color... gloves have one too. There are vibrant shock shades full of surprise... there are bright sunshine colors and their pale moonlight reflections... all inspired by spring's new prints that borrow many colors from the same family for their newness.

There are gloves to exactly match, gloves to contrast with... all the compliment spring fashions. Your gloves are the focal point of your costume. You are watched as you pull them on, draw them off. Your gestures hold all eyes on your hand.

Being a smart woman your mother will know how much the right glove can do for her. She will recognize the up-to-the-minute styling, the ageless impeccability of Hansen's newest gloves. These gloves are all washable and quick drying as they are nylon fabrics. The newest development is Pignylon... pigskin itself never looked more handsome. There is a new spring sheer... ribbed nylon, short and smart with summer's shirt-dress silhouette.

Consider glove length when choosing your gift for Mother. The very short wrist-hugging glove is fine for long-sleeved suits, or short-sleeved dresses. Bracelet-length (four-button) is good with coats or short-sleeved dresses. The mid-arm (eight-button) length is good with three-quarter length or push-up sleeves. The 10-button length can be used with the same sleeve as the eight-button but will give you a more generous amount of crush at the wrist. The 12-button is recommended for elbow-length dresses or suits and the 16-button opera glove is the usual choice with formal bare shoulders.

Keep your eye on Mother's new spring ensemble and choose a gift of Hansen gloves to tone or contrast.

PARENT-TEACHER NEWS

North Ward—Mrs. A. McLeod, North Ward delegate to the recent parent-teacher Association convention in Nanaimo, will give a report at Monday meeting of North Ward PTA at 8 p.m. in the school auditorium. Refreshments will be served.

Victoria West—Meeting of Victoria West PTA has been arranged for Tuesday evening at 8 p.m. Teachers are in charge and everyone will have the opportunity to "go back to school." Mrs. C. Banfield and Mrs. K. Phelps will give highlights of recent PTA convention at Nanaimo. Refreshments will be served.

Esquimalt—A drama and musical festival is being sponsored by Esquimalt PTA and High School at the school next Friday at 8 p.m. The program will include "Catherine Parr," "Girls Ensemble," "Ada Takes First Aid," Senior Choir, and "The Old Lady Shows Her Medals."

Ganges—Interesting reports on the recent PTA convention in Nanaimo were presented at meeting of Salt Spring PTA by delegates, Mrs. A. Young and Mrs. J. B. Foubister. Mrs. J. Reid presided and Mrs. M. Fellows, treasurer, reported a balance of \$86.17. Mrs. J. Beech, garden convener, reported that 60 children have received seeds.

Plans for the May fair on May 4 were disclosed by the convener, Mrs. A. B. Kropinski, who stated that it would be opened by Mrs. F. Jackson, president of Fulford PTA. Mrs. L. Mout will be in charge of hot dogs and soft drinks served by the PTA at annual sports day, May 18. Next meeting of the association on May 16 will celebrate their 10th birthday with Mrs. E. Gear in charge of the program. Members made droolies for the May fair advertising while refreshments were being served by Mrs. J. Nelson, Mrs. M. Munro and Mrs. S. Rogers.

Oaklands—Northern British Columbia was subject of an address given by Minister of Education Ray Williston at meeting of Oaklands PTA. He illustrated the address with slides of Kitimat, Prince George and the Peace River country. Officers were elected as follows: H. R. Dawson, honorary president; D. A. George, past president; J. A. Mitchell, president; Mrs. G. H. Cross, first vice-president; J. Cross, second; L. Quesada, treasurer; Mrs. A. W. Palmer, recording secretary; Mrs. C. Glover, corresponding; Mrs. J. R. Sinclair, publicity; Mrs. E. G. Vaughan, magazine and literature; Mrs. A. Miller, membership; Mrs. J. Bryant, preschool; Mrs. H. C. Hawey, sunshine and hospitality, and Mrs. A. S. Cutforth, social. It is planned to hold a dance at the final meeting of the season on May 9.

English Schooling

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AS WE LIVE

Sticking Close to Family Is No Way to Meet Men

By ELIZABETH B. HURLOCK, Ph.D.

The only way to solve a problem is to attack it directly. Beating around the bush doesn't help.



Hurlock

Of a suitable age for you are few and far between. However, nothing is impossible, if you are willing to take the time and effort to find the solution.

You are attacking your problem in a way that is not likely to lead to success. It may be a pleasant way for you to spend your time, but it is not likely to bring what you want, namely male companionship.

When you go to parties or to church social affairs, you are wise to go with married friends. This not only gives you someone to be with, it also makes it possible for you to meet strangers more easily than you could alone.

However, spending your free time with your family will not increase your circle of friends nor is it likely to lead to getting to know men. You must go out where men are if you are to meet them.

Since you are working, why not work in an organization where there are many employees, both men and women? Most large organizations plan recreation and social activities for their employees. That is the best place for you to meet men and have an occasional date with someone who, in time, may become seriously interested in you.

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OF PERSONAL INTEREST

Young Hostesses Entertain

Miss Michelle Robert and Miss Maura Hanley, entertained Friday evening at the Beach Drive home of the former. Guests included Cadet Leslie McGaw, Cadet John Pennington, Miss Sheila Olson and Cadet Hendrickson, Miss Valerie Sharp and Cadet Kempford, Miss Maxine Herbert and Cadet Bob Lancaster, Miss Marlene Smith and Cadet Gordon Mowatt, Miss Catherine Smith and Cadet Cornell, Miss Elizabeth Clerci and Cadet Reimanne and Miss Diane Grant and Cadet Kemp.

Four Months In Europe

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. McIntosh and daughter Shelley are leaving the city Wednesday en route to Montreal and Quebec, where they will sail aboard the Scythia for an extended tour of the British Isles and the Continent. They expect to return home the middle of August.

A Buffet Luncheon

Mrs. Alma Wilson was honored at a buffet luncheon on Friday at the Crescent Road home of Mrs. W. R. Loudon. Mrs. Wilson will be leaving shortly for eastern Canada to spend several months with her son-in-law and daughter, Lieutenant and Mrs. D. F. Slocombe.

Gifts Under Umbrella

Mrs. Evelyn Nelson was hostess at the home of her aunt, Miss B. Nelson, 126 St. Giles Street, with a kitchen shower to honor Miss Shirley Fry. Gifts were under a decorated umbrella and were presented with a white carnation corsage. Mother of the bride-elect received a rosebud corsage. Others present, all members of the staff of the Royal Bank, Fort Street branch, included Mrs. C. Harbottle, Mrs. C. Meadmore, Mrs. M. O'Neill, Mrs. N. Poitras, Misses Darlene Robertson, Evelyn Nelson, Kathie Reynolds, Margaret Stephenson and Lillian Milot.

Edna Young Feted

Replica of a large ledger book concealed the many gifts for bride-elect Miss Edna Young at a kitchen shower given for her by Miss May Blackstock and Miss Vidi Ovenden at the Fernwood Road home of the former. Pink sweetheart roses on corsage were presented to Miss Young when she arrived, while Mrs. E. A. Young, her mother, and Mrs. V. C. Lohr, mother of the groom-elect, received corsages of shaded pink carnations. Invited were Mrs. W. Sluggert, Mrs. A. Nordquist, Mrs. V. Watson, Mrs. H. Stark, Mrs. J. Bray, Mrs. Watson, Mrs. L. Cann, Mrs. Sheila Atkinson, Mrs. Tom Winwood, Mrs. W. Ward, Mr. F. Bentley, Mrs. F. Wilson, Mrs. H. Daniels, Mrs. Jamieson, Misses Audrey Ireland, Trudy Hoffman, Eloise Marr, Betty Shepherd and Jennie Blackstock.

Mrs. G. Scott, 3144 Harriet Road, entertained recently with a miscellaneous shower for Miss Young. A pink decorated umbrella held the gifts for the bride-elect, who received a red rosebud corsage on arrival. Mrs. Young and Mrs. Lohr received white carnations. Present were Mrs. Scott, Sr., Mrs. Sadie Moir, Mrs. A. Whitely, Mrs. Peddon, Mrs. A. G. Young and Mrs. W. Schaeffer.

From Toronto

Mr. James Prendergast is in the city from Toronto, visiting his mother, Mrs. R. B. Prendergast, at 1230 Maywood. Mr. Prendergast will attend the Airlines Industries and Transport Association conference in the Empress Hotel on Monday and Tuesday and will leave for the east again on Wednesday.

St. John's Afternoon Branch

of the Woman's Auxiliary, Tuesday at 2:30 p.m., parish hall... Major John Hebdon Gillespie Chapter, IOOE, Tuesday at 8 p.m., 2657 Cranmore Road.

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A Marriage Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wallace Van Norman, of 1855 Fort Street, Victoria, B.C., wish to announce the marriage of their youngest daughter, Dawn, to First Flight Officer Reese Boyd, of the American Air Lines, son of Mrs. F. J. Wood, Fullerton, Calif., and the late R. L. Boyd. The marriage took place at the home of the groom's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Miller, at Ontario, Calif., on Wednesday, April 20. The young couple left this week for Washington, D.C. Mrs. Boyd, before leaving for Chicago, two years ago, to become an American Air Lines stewardess was in the social department of the Victoria Daily Times.



Citadel Wedding in May

Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Green, 132 Hackley Road, Langford, B.C., announced the engagement of their only daughter, Dorothy May, to Mr. Stanley Harry Ratcliffe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ratcliffe, 2622 Roseberry Avenue, Victoria. The marriage will take place in Salvation Army Citadel, Victoria, B.C., on May 28 at 8 p.m. Miss Green has chosen Miss Evelyn Nelson as maid of honor and Misses Joyce Dalley and Joy Webster as bridesmaids. The groom-elect's twin brother, Mr. Joseph Ratcliffe, of Wetaskiwin, Alta., will act as best man, and ushers will be Mr. Ernest Wilson and Mr. Frederick Thorne. (Photo by Jus-Rite Studios.)

Married This Afternoon, Couple to Live in Calgary

Early this afternoon in St. dresses, stoles and carried blue Andrew's Cathedral. Father O'Connell heard the marriage vows of Helen Isabelle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Lavender, 1107 Caledonia Avenue, Victoria, and James Gustilov, son of Mr. L. Gustilov, Regina. Best man was Robert Dodd, brother-in-law of the bride and ushers, her brother, Norman Lavender and Douglas Clark. Following the breakfast a reception was held at Norway House where Robert Dodd proposed the toast to the bride. Prior to the breakfast the relatives and immediate friends of the bride and groom received their at the home of the bride's parents. The bride chose white Chantilly lace over white satin for her wedding gown. It was styled on Princess lines with full train. Her finger-tip veil of white nylon edged with lace was held by a tiara of orange blossoms and pearls and she carried red roses and white carnations in her bouquet. Mr. Lavender gave his daughter in marriage. Matron of honor, Mrs. Robert Dodd, the bride's sister wore pink net over tulle with pink petal headdress, pink stole and carried blue carnations. Miss Rosemarie Rocheleau, was senior bridesmaid and Miss Adele Beauchemin the junior bridesmaid. Both wore blue net over tulle with matching head-

OF PERSONAL INTEREST

Distinguished Invitation List For Royal Roads Graduation

Rear-Admiral J. C. Hibbard, DSC, ED, RNC, Flag Officer Pacific Coast, and Mrs. Hibbard head a distinguished list of high-ranking service and civilian personnel invited to attend the graduation ceremony for the class of 1955 at Royal Roads next Friday afternoon. Rear-Admiral Hibbard will take the salute. Among others invited to the ceremonies are Rear-Admiral W. B. Creery, RCN (Ret.), Brig. and Mrs. G. Kitching, Brig. and Mrs. J. S. Adam, Air Commodore and Mrs. W. A. Orr. Premier and Mrs. W. A. C. Bennett, Hon. and Mrs. Ray Williston, Mayor and Mrs. Claude Harrison, Commodore and Mrs. P. D. Budge, Commodore and Mrs. B. R. Spencer, Capt. and Mrs. P. D. Taylor. Capt. (S) and Mrs. H. A. McCandless, Sqn.-Capt. and Mrs. T. B. McLean, Capt. and Mrs. R. P. Welland, Chaplain J. E. Whelby, RCN; Chaplain H. R. Pike, RCN; Capt. (E) and Mrs. J. MacGillivray, Const.-Capt. and Mrs. C. V. Green, Capt. and Mrs. J. M. Grant, Capt. and Mrs. D. W. Groos, Capt. and Mrs. G. A. V. Thomson, Maj.-Gen. and Mrs. H. H. Hertzberg. Lt.-Col. and Mrs. D. A. Kellough, Lt.-Col. and Mrs. D. W. Cunningham, Lt.-Col. and Mrs. J. C. Cave, Lt.-Col. and Mrs. G. E. Shragge, Group Capt. and Mrs. E. A. McNab, Group Capt. and Mrs. R. C. Weston, Wing Cmdr. and Mrs. W. McLeod, Prof. and Mrs. L. A. Brown, Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Hickman, Dr. and Mrs. N. A. M. MacKenzie. Asst. Commissioner and Mrs. C. E. Rivett-Carnac, Capt. and Mrs. F. W. Crickard, Mr. J. S. Johnson, Mrs. Anne Ogle, Mr. and Mrs. William Herbert, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Izard, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McCarthy, and from HMCS Venture, Chief Cadet Capt. A. W. McDermott, Cadet Capt. R. A. Graham and Cadet-Capt. L. N. Wardle.

Many Parents to Attend

Among parents of cadets in the graduating class at Royal Roads who have accepted invitations to attend the ceremonies next Friday are Mrs. Joan C. Brady, New Westminster; Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Broughton of Cardinal Heights, Ont.; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Campbell of Chapeau, Ont.; Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Caulier of Weyburn, Sask.; Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Coulter, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. deCaux of Calgary; Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Culley of Medicine Hat, Mr. and Mrs. A. Froehel of Sangued, Alta. Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Hicks of Bloomfield, Ont.; Major and Mrs. J. A. Kennedy, London, Ont.; Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Kirk of Toronto, Mrs. C. C. Lawes of Montreal, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Logan of Ottawa. Mr. and Mrs. Manly B. Burleigh of Edson, Alta.; Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Crofton, Ganges; Mrs. Winnifred Day and Mrs. Ralph Stinson of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Fitz-Clarke and Mrs. H. E. Reimann of Vancouver, Mrs. M. S. Fyfe and Commander and Mrs. Ronald Jackson of Victoria, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hendrickson, Mr. and Mrs. David W. Henry and Mrs. Y. Kato of Vernon, B.C.; Mr. and Mrs. G. T. London of West Vancouver, Mr. and Mrs. T. McMurry of Saskatoon and Mrs. B. T. McNab, Prince Albert, Sask.

Cadets Invite Young Friends

Eagerly awaited invitations to attend the graduating exercises on the parade ground at Royal Roads next Friday afternoon and the graduation dance on the quarter-deck in the cadet block the same evening have been received by many charming young Victorians. Among them are: Misses Kathleen Stobart, Gwyneth Roberts, Maxine Graington, Nenagh Simpson, Beverley Chaplin, Ann Lucas, Annette Riddell, Margery Ellis, Judy Traunweiser, Nancy Kendall, Mary Beckton, Joyce Boag, Marilyn Bassett, Dayle Heal and Helene De La Hite. Misses Janet Sim, Shirley Gablehouse, Judy Anderson, Margo Mathison, Sylvia McLaughlin, Anne Bartholomew, Audrey Taylor, Shelagh Fagan, Beverley Fell, Joan Spencer, Sheila Hardy, Sandra Humber, Irene Weaver, Norene Ross. Misses Jean Roberts, Margaret Dobrocky, Dale Price, Mary Sowden, Una Hey, Sally Leary, Betty-Low Hemington, Patricia Sweeney, Nonie Shove, Donna Burridge, Barbara Savale, Call Pearson, Margaret Bailey, Kathryn Holmes, Judy DeBlois. Misses Terry French, Muriel Scott, Marlene Briggs, Dorothy Sullivan, Elaine Mitchell, Jean Massey, Grace Shoemaker, Norene Dahl, Carol McEllan, Corine King, Marilyn Kay, Terry Purolski, Heather Hewett, Maxine Herbert, Claudette Speller, Jo Anne Aubell, Kitty Smith, Jeanette Pilleul, Marilyn Whyte, Sharon Lane. Misses Catherine Elmoyne, Sylvia Knott, Sheila Petrie, Alice Gallie, Jackie Butt, Iris Brown, Helen Hodgson, Daphne Hall, June Andrews, Margaret McManagie, Carol Slater, Barbara Sanson, Merle Emery, Muriel Smith, Ruthanne Gordon, Lorraine Edwards, Meredith Savale. Misses Gloria Glock, Maureen Squires, Graeme Bowman, Dorothy Hunt, Pat Chatwin, Win Lochhead, Diane Grant, Ruth Orton, Joan Houghton, Del Martin, Ethel Ennis, Yvonne Shillito, Lou Warren, Marilyn de Wolf, Michelle Robert, Susan Lewis, Diane Mathison, Marion Roome, Jean McLaughlin, Barbara Courtney, Heather Sinclair, Linda Redden, Dale Stipsbury, Elisa Stenner. Misses Jill Malcolmson, Donnie Richmond, Maura Hanley, Joanne Crossley, Margaret Landon, Susan Butt, Susan Hall, Sheila Long, Phyllis Watkins, Patricia Stanbridge, Betty Adams, Joan Taylor, Irene Mearns, E. Ettinger, Doreen Anderson, Elizabeth Ogle, Althea Corp, Helen Collier, Gladys Nelson. From Vancouver will come Misses Joan Williams, Arlene Acton, Beverly Wood, Diane Wilson, Tone Sheppard, Annie Wallis, Maxine Slater, Helen Collier, Sonja Williams, Eleanor Creery, Joan Thomas, Brenda Durrant and Norma McCurdy. Miss Janet Carpenter will be here from James Island. Invitations have gone to Miss D. Steinhauer and Miss Joan Anderson in Alberta; Miss Connie Caulier in Saskatchewan; Miss Ann Holmes in Quebec, and Miss Marsha Vaughan in Seattle.

Shower for Yvonne Pready

A pink and blue frilled box held many gifts for Miss Yvonne Pready at a recent shower given in her honor by Mrs. A. Hall and Mrs. R. Hallam at the Munro Street home of the former. Keepsake corsages were presented to the guest of honor, her mother, Mrs. P. D. Pready, and the groom-elect's mother, Mrs. W. C. Yole. They were roses, violets and apple blossoms, respectively. A chifon cake decorated with flowers and silver ornaments was prepared for the bride-elect. Buffet refreshments were served to the guests, who were Mrs. R. Whitten, Mrs. L. Hall, Mrs. K. Bishop, Mrs. E. Zala, Mrs. A. Edmonds, Mrs. R. Campbell, Misses Peggy Spears and Francis Smith.

On European Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Knud Knudsen, Carey Road, left this week on the first step of a trip which will take them to Europe. They are motoring across Canada, stopping to visit relatives in Horizon, Sask.; Winnipeg and Toronto. From Montreal they will fly to Copenhagen. After a tour of the Continent, Mr. and Mrs. Knudsen will travel to England to visit Mrs. Knudsen's relatives. They expect to arrive back in Victoria at the beginning of November.

For Education—A sum of \$30 was voted for secondary education and books were purchased for the adopted school at meeting of Sir James and Lady Douglas Chapter, IOOE. Second vice-regent Mrs. J. Morison was nominated national delegate and arrangements were completed for a rummage sale on May 6 at Orange Hall.

CLUB CALENDAR

St. Mark's Woman's Auxiliary, Tuesday at 2 p.m., Parish Hall. Victoria Hand Weavers' Guild, Tuesday at 7.30 p.m., Blue Room, 1303 Broad Street. Speaker, Mrs. W. Ellis; subject, "The Extension School at University of British Columbia."

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Wedding in Ontario

The engagement is announced of Sara Jane Thackray (Sallie) McCarter, of Ottawa, daughter of Brig. and Mrs. G. A. McCarter, Telegraph Bay Road, Victoria, B.C., to Mr. Frederick Gall, of Ottawa, son of Mr. Frederick Gall Sr., and the late Mrs. Gall, of Peter-

head, Aberdeenshire, Scotland. The marriage has been arranged to take place on Saturday, May 21, in St. Paul's Anglican Church at Cardinal, Ont. (Mr. Gall's Photo, Thomas Studio; Miss McCarter's by Eatons.)

Six Attendants and a Ring Bearer Create Setting for Friday's Bride

Spring's softest pastel colors were seen in the wedding entourage of Miss Beryl Pears, who entered St. Mary's Church at Metchoshin, on the arm of her father, Friday evening to become the bride of Arthur Henry Matt. Six attendants preceded her in pale pink, blue and yellow gowns. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Wallis Pears, Happy Valley Road, Metchoshin, and the groom, the son of Mrs. A. Matt and the late Mr. Matt, Kellher, Sask. Rev. H. M. Bolton officiated, while Mrs. Gavin Weir played traditional wedding music. Daffodils were placed on the altar which was flanked by baskets of narcissi, blue iris, and forsythia. The bride's gown, which she made herself, was styled with a bouffant, crinolined skirt of Chantilly lace over tulle and a scalloped strapless bodice with lace bolero. Her elbow length veil was of tulle, held with a tiara of pearls and rhinestones and her jewelry, a strand of pearls, gift of the groom. She carried a crescent bouquet of Johanna roses and white carnations. Matron of honor, Mrs. G. C. Watkins, the bride's sister, and maid of honor, Miss Marjorie Creaser, wore pale blue nylon tulle over tulle and white ballerin length with bouffant skirts and fashioned with attached pleated nylon stoles. Their colonial bouquets were of white carnations and baby iris, with matching ribbons. Junior bridesmaids, Miss Linda Hodgson and Miss Evelyn Strawn, wore pink nylon tulle over tulle, waltz-length gowns. Flower girls, Sharon and Wendy Watkins, the bride's nieces, wore dainty pictures in primrose yellow gowns with ruffled headbands in tone dotted with hyacinths. Their colonial bouquets were tied with matching ribbons. Master Michael Watkins was ring bearer in satin shirt and trousers and carrying a satin cushion. Best man was Stuart Creaser, while Edward Pears and Clarence Creaser ushered guests to pews marked with spring flowers tied with white ribbons. A four-tier wedding cake made and decorated by the bride, centred the main table at the reception in Luxton Hall. It was based in a mist of white tulle, and flanked by shell, pink candles in double silver holders. Arrangements of pale pink carnations and ferns were in a low silver bowl. Guests enjoyed dancing to a small orchestra. Edward Clapham proposed the toast to the bride. Mrs. Matt donned a printed nylon sheer dress complemented with pink straw hat and

Oak Bay United Church Scene of Quiet Wedding

Evelyn Winnifred Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Williams, Estevan Avenue, and Clarence Sidney Fry, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Fry, Shakespear Street, were principals of a wedding which took place in Oak Bay United Church recently. Rev. W. W. McPherson officiated. The bride chose a dusty rose dressmaker suit trimmed with navy beads. Her hat was of a matching rose tone with navy trim. She wore navy accessories and a corsage of pink rapture roses. Mrs. Ken Swetnam, matron of honor, wore a navy dress with white accessories. Her corsage was of pink carnations. Alvin Fry was best man for his brother, and Ken Swetnam ushered guests to pews marked with yellow daffodils and white satin ribbons. A reception followed at the Strathcona Hotel, where a three-tier wedding cake in white decorated with silver trim and fresh roses centred the bride's table. The cake was flanked by white candles in silver holders, and lilies and daffodils. Ken Swetnam proposed the traditional toast to the bride. For a honeymoon trip to Portland, the bride donned a

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Formal Bride: Airy Grace

Tulle Combines With Lace; Torso Line Is Long



The elongated waistline is suggested in many of the bridal gowns for formal spring and summer weddings.

This suggestion of the long-torso silhouette is accompanied by hip fullness. Waistlines generally are shaped and lowered, thus removing emphasis from the bustline. An illusion of the higher bustline is achieved by a more rounded seaming.

With many formal gowns, fullness starts at side and back on the hipline, spreading into a wide skirt that may be propped over as many as four skirts. Many bodices have high necks and sleeves may be full-length, bracelet length or short.

The combination of tulle with lace is one that designers like this year for its look of airy grace. Usually, the bodice is in lace and the skirt in layers of tulle with lace often repeated at the hemline. Pearls, crystal beading and iridescent sequins are often used as neckline trim on a lace bodice.

Even silk organza is combined with lace, sometimes with panels of the lace used on a bouffant skirt. Fabrics with a fresh look (for both short and long wedding gowns) are embroidered nylon eyelet and organdy tulle.



For the formal bride, there's nothing like yards of misty lace and a veil that floats. This bride has chosen a gown in nylon tulle, pleated all over for a tucked effect. Lace borders skirt deeply and forms brief train. Finger-tip veil of nylon tulle is attached to face-flattering lace coronet.

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Cottons in Bridal Parade

Cotton for warm weather is as natural as graduation in June.

But the wonderful talents and research that have put cotton into bride's wardrobes have also transformed the summer cottons. For summer cottons are no longer only the crisp print dresses and bunched skirts. They are handsome spring-into-summer coats, drifty dance dresses and town suits as smart as a Fifth Avenue window.

Top designers have turned their supple hands to using the new cottons in all their wonderful possibilities. Inspiration often comes from a fabric and these designers have been moved to produce clothes that are proper to all of cotton's new attributes.

Cotton woven in a dobby pattern, silver grey in color, moved one designer to thoughts of crisp and soft lines, formal and dressy as high tea.

She turned out an ensemble with a nonchalant cardigan jacket, with soft gathers at the sleeve. The dress underneath is pencil-slim with a V neck.

A no-iron cotton inspired to produce a three-piece ensemble. A long-torso jacket with a sailor collar has an elasticized back. It goes over a sleeveless overblouse and a slim skirt.

Aintree designs a coat from a cotton tweed with a nubby texture. The silhouette is simplicity itself, sparked with a big collar, three-quarter sleeves and big pockets.

Cotton broadcloth, light as a cherry blossom, appears in another bridal outfit. It has a flowing coat with a youthful collar and a bow at the neck. Under it, a full-skirted dress with a smooth, wide waist and a gathered sun top.

Smooth cotton tweed will go into a going-away suit of the most dress-up sort. A slim jacket slides neatly to the waist to meet a straight skirt.

For bridesmaids. Chose gifts that will be mementos of the occasion—anything from real lace handkerchiefs to gold cigarette cases, all alike with the maid of honor's a little more elaborate. Your gifts could be strands of simulated pearls or any piece of good costume jewelry, charm bracelets, compacts, lighters, lipstick cases or perfume, umbrellas, jewel cases, purses or evening bags. Personalize them with inscriptions where possible.

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The fashion revivals were the use of fox as a cape fur and the coat-dress.

A white fox wrap was worn with a white satin gown that flared in back with a discreetly-pleated bust line designed by Frances Davies of Montreal. Blue fox set off a simple short blue bridal gown by Federica of Toronto. This nylon and cotton gown was highlighted by applied ribbon shells.

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The coat-dresses were, for the most part, sheaths that relied on simplicity for appeal. One in blue linen by Marie Antoinette Rouillard of Montreal featured an edging of white at the neckline and cuffs. Another, in sand, was belted with the same materials that lined the coat, a small brown print. It was designed by Montreal manufacturer Lew Shedlack.

Brilliantly colored gros point was used at the hemline of an afternoon dress of brown drill and repeated at the pockets in

a design by Jacques de Montjoye of Montreal.

One bridal gown of white nylon tulle over pink marquisette appeared light and airy despite the 75 yards of material that went into it. Designer Raoul Jean Fouré of Montreal used huge pale pink bows applied on the skirt.

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Bridal lingerie this year comes dress length or full length, is lavished with lace or simply tailored, is print or plain, looks fragile and is actually incredibly sturdy and easy to maintain. Lace-lavished bridal set (left) in sheer nylon tricot has gown with lace-bordered camisole top. The skirt is split up the



front to show off deep rows of lace ruffles on the underskirt. Same lace ruffles form deep cape below the yoke of peignoir. Lace-trimmed dacron-and-cotton peignoir (right) has youthful look. Big cape collar is lace-edged twice to create effect of double collar.

Notions about bridal lingerie have changed a good deal in the last few years. There was a time when the bride chose her lingerie in white or possibly very pale blue or pink.

But in this year of 1955, she may pick stripes, a print or a floral spray. She may have any color she likes and as for style, she's no longer confined to fluffy ruffles. If her type is tweed suits and simple dresses, she can find pretty lingerie that follows out the uncluttered lines of her entire wardrobe.

As for length, she may have dress length or waltz length or floor length. Most brides are showing a preference for the dress length or waltz length ensemble and there are more of them being shown this year than there were last.

However filmy, fragile-seeming and delicate her bridal lingerie may be, the bride can make a fair-sized investment in it without a qualm of conscience. For she knows that actually, nylon, orlon and the other miracle fabrics make it possible to have both luxury and practicability and that her lingerie will last for years or until she decides on something new.

Nylon satin, nylon tricot, nylon sheer, dacron, orlon and combinations of dacron-and-cotton are all used for this year's bridal lingerie. Even lace trim is nylon for added touch of pretty practicality.



Floral print (right) is used for full-length robe in airy nylon sheer over plain nylon. Flowing tie is nylon velvet. All three launder in minutes, drip dry, need no ironing.

The Youthful Bridal Gown

For the very young bride, the matched bridal gown and bridesmaid dresses make a new fashion idea. These are often done in nylon tulle, are shown in pretty pastels for spring and summer. Though white remains the important bridal color, white over pastel slips creates a pretty look for both bride and her attendants. And there are pale pinks, blues and aquas for both bride and bridesmaids.

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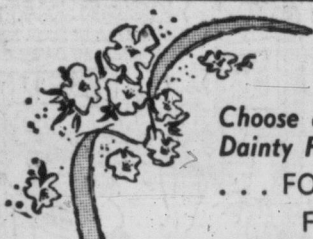
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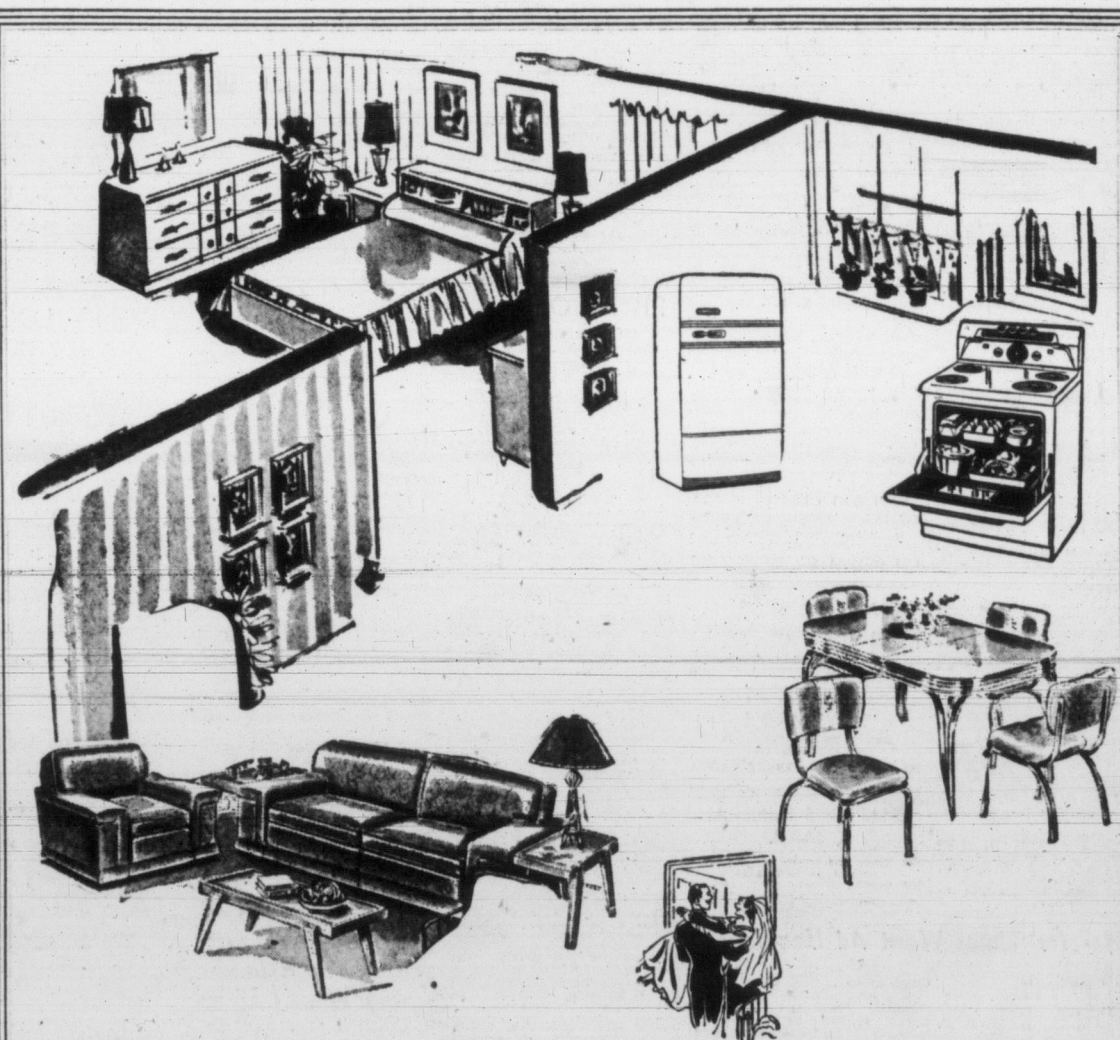
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WEEK-END HIGHLIGHTS in order of their appearance:

SATURDAY

5.00: Channel 5: Super Circus features Claude Kirchner and Mary Hartline, also animals, clowns, acrobats and the unicyclists, the three Goetschs.

Channel 4: Teresa Wright and Ronald Reagan star in "And Suddenly You Know," about how an orphan called Joe solves the problems of a young married couple.

5.30: Channel 2: Disneyland shows a repeat of "Davy Crockett, Indian Fighter." Fess Parker plays the title role.

7.00: Channel 5: I Search for Adventure program is entitled "Antarctic Conquest." Films show the Captain Finn Ronne Antarctic expedition of 1947.

7.30: Channel 4: Horace Heidt and his show wagon halt long enough in Rochester to salute the state of New York. Clarabelle, clown of the Howdy Doody show, will be special guest.

8.00: Channel 11: Ralph Kramden and Ed Norton get into their wives' bad books for spending too many evenings away from home. Such is the theme of tonight's Jackie-Gleason show. An oldie can be picked up on Channel 2.

Channel 13: Seattle Rainiers continue their baseball feud with the Sacramento Solons. (Weather-permitting.)

8.30: Channel 12: Wrestling from Chicago.

9.00: Channel 2: On camera offers "The Man" for science-fiction addicts. Starring Harry Gelard, Austin Willis, Al Bertram and Andrew Anthony, it tells of how two space ship captains contest possession of a new-found planet.

Channel 4: Betty forgets to mail Jerry's income tax in this latest episode in the life of Imogene Coca. Two for the Money is on 11.

9.30: Channel 12: Miriam Hopkins, Alan Mowbray and Frances Dee star in the old, but good, motion picture "Becky Sharp." An adaptation of Vanity Fair, it tells of a ruthless woman's drive for money and power.

10.00: Channel 4: George Gobel has a bit of fun with some puppets.

10.30: Channel 4: Your Hit Parade re-lives some of the old smoothies of the mid-30s such as "Lullaby of Broadway," "Loverly to Look At" and "I Won't Dance." They'll also enact the top seven tunes.

Channel 11: Damon Runyan Theatre stars Broderick Crawford in "Dancing Dan's Christmas." One of the guys thinks Dancing Dan's doll reminds him of his "mudder."

11.00: Channel 4: English actor Clive Brook and

SUNDAY

1.30: Channel 2: Seventh episode of the BBC documentary, "War in the Air," concerns the opening of the air war in the Far East, 1941-43; the defense of India, and the emergence of Japan as an air-sea power.

2.30: Channels 12 and 13: Seattle Rainiers host the Sacramento Solons.

3.00: Channel 2: You Are There shows the completion of the first transcontinental railway on May 10, 1869—the story of the U.P.

4.00: Channel 2: The Playhouse presents Ann Sheridan in "The Prize," the story of a struggle for an award that doesn't quite come off.

4.30: Channel 4: Max Liebman's Kaleidoscope stars Judy Holiday, comic Dick Shawn and Frank Sinatra in a 30-minute musical.

Channel 12: If you missed the movie "Becky Sharp" (see Saturday) you might like to view it now.

5.00: Channel 11: "Lucy Plays Cupid" is a repeat of one of the earliest "I Love Lucy" offerings.

6.00: Channel 11: You Are There is a nostalgic flashback to Sept. 11, 1850, when fabulous showman P. T. Barnum presented Jenny Lind to the U.S.

7.00: Channels 11 and 12: Private Secretary Susie (Ann Sothern) finds devious ways and means to buy an expensive fur coat.

8.00: Channel 11: Ed Sullivan hosts singer Marion Marlowe, Harry Belafonte, dancer Carol Haney, Jack Buchanan, comic Jackie Miles and the Half Brothers, a juggling act.

9.00: Channel 11: James Stewart will make his TV dramatic debut in "The Windmill." Jimmy plays the part of an impoverished rancher with one driving goal—to obtain \$500 with which to build a windmill to provide water for his spread.

10.00: Channel 2: "Scope" will feature the National Ballet Guild in a performance of the ballet, "Barbara Allen," which is based on the play, "Dark of the Moon." The plot, briefly, is about a witch who demands tribute from a bat-like boy who yearns for a beautiful girl. The witch-boy will be danced by David Adams; Barbara by Lillian Jay; Joey Harris will be the preacher, and Angela Leigh and Colleen Kenney the two witches. Music is by Louis Applebaum, conducted by George Crum.

Channel 4: The Loretta Young show. Miss Young's co-star will be Rock Hudson.

10.30: Channel 4: The Bob Cummings' comedy.

TELEVISION PROGRAMS

Tonight's Programs

CBUT Vancouver Channel 2	KOMO-TV Seattle Channel 4	KING-TV Seattle Channel 5	KTNV-TV Tacoma Channel 11	KVOS-TV Bellingham Channel 12	KTVW-TV Tacoma Channel 13
6.00 Disneyland	J. Wayne Thre...	KING'S Ring	Gospel Western	Town & Country	Hopalong
6.15 Disneyland	J. Wayne Thre...	KING'S Ring	Gospel Western	Town & Country	Hopalong
6.30 CBC News	J. Wayne Thre...	KING'S Ring	Gospel Western	Town & Country	Hopalong
7.00 Bishop Sheen	Question	Who Said That	Professional	Dick Tracy	Dick Tracy
7.15 Bishop Sheen	Question	Who Said That	Professional	Dick Tracy	Dick Tracy
7.30 Holiday Ranch	Question	Who Said That	Professional	Dick Tracy	Dick Tracy
7.45 Holiday Ranch	Question	Who Said That	Professional	Dick Tracy	Dick Tracy
8.00 Jackie Gleason	To Be Announced	Big Picture	Jackie Gleason	China Smith	China Smith
8.15 Jackie Gleason	To Be Announced	Big Picture	Jackie Gleason	China Smith	China Smith



JOBLESS CONGREGATION outside St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church in Sept-Isles, Que., includes some 600 European immigrants. The men—Italians, Greeks and Portuguese—traveled to the Quebec iron-ore port in an unsuccessful search for work. The season has not yet begun for mining firms to resume operations in the hinterland. Town officials have asked for federal aid to move the men to other centres. (CP Photo.)

U.S. Industry Striving for Record Year

Present Production Pace Shows No Indication of Slowing Down

By WALTER BREDE JR.

NEW YORK (AP)—Good business right through to the end of '55.

That's how key industrial leaders sized up U.S. economy this week. Talk usually heard at this time about a "summer slump" was conspicuously absent.

The rosy forecasts were not unanimous. There were occasional warnings about falling farm prices, over-extended credit on automobiles and homes and "speculative fever" in Wall Street.

The optimists could marshal plenty of solid facts and figures. President Harlow Curtice said GM smashed all records in the first three months of this year in net sales, net income, unit sales, total employment and average weekly worker earnings—an accomplishment reflecting the "accelerating strength" in the entire national economy.

The nation's business, he declared, "will reach a new peak in 1955."

Bell Telephone-System earmarked \$1,400,000,000 this year for expanding its service. A new high in sales volume in 1955 was forecast by General Electric Co. Chairman H. E. Humphreys Jr. told stockholders of U.S. Rubber Co. "Barring any unexpected decline in the rubber industry, our sales and production for the year could come up to the best we've ever had."

TREND REVERSED

Many businessmen last year spent less on new plant and equipment than the year before; now the trend is up again. A private survey predicts business spending on capital improvements in 1955 will climb to nearly \$29,500,000,000.

Hopes for continuation of the boom into the usually slack summer months were geared this week to the apparently insatiable public appetite for the auto industry's 1955 models.

U.S. factories poured out 185,000 cars and 31,000 trucks—the highest weekly production ever recorded. Despite record new car inventories there were no dealer complaints. General Motors said demand for its cars is outrunning the company's capacity to produce.

Signs continued to multiply that auto makers were using up steel faster than they could buy it.

Steelmakers said they were making tentative commitments for delivery of automotive steel in the third quarter. Iron Age, authoritative trade weekly, said orders for automotive steel for the July-August-September period were "beyond expectations."

Kootenay Mining District Reports Improved Business

By LESLIE ANN HOLMES

NELSON (CP)—Mining, the first industry of the Kootenay district of British Columbia, is making a strong comeback after being hard hit by the base metals slump of late 1952.

Employment is rising. There now are 8,500 persons in the mining business in eastern B.C., compared with 10,500 before prices toppled. But the number increased 200 last year and industry leaders expect the upward trend to continue in 1955.

"Things look decidedly better," says H. E. Doelle, president of the B.C. Mining Association and the province's Eastern Chamber of Mines.

"The only cloud hanging over the picture is the bill before the U.S. Congress which would increase import duties on lead and zinc."

Prospecting will likely boom this year. Mines inspector J. W. Peck estimates uranium hunters will increase to more than 200 this year from 25 in 1954.

Of 100 men and women who attended recent prospectors' classes here and in Kakusup, on Upper Arrow Lake, the majority said they intended to hunt for uranium this summer. A geiger counter company is flourishing at Rossland, near the U.S. border.

"This area has never really been prospected for uranium," Mr. Peck says. Traces have been reported but never a lode.

The area's industrial giant, Consolidated Mining and Smelting Co., employs about 7,600 men at the smelter in Trail and at Kimberley, about 80 miles northeast of here, site of the world's largest lead-zinc mine.

B.C. Men Place \$20 Million Order in U.K.

Tinned Grouse To Be Imported

LONDON (CP)—The Vancouver Board of Trade delegation flew back to Canada today, completing an 11-day trail-blazing mission which resulted in orders for some \$20,000,000 worth of British goods.

Three members of the party, which arrived here April 12, some 50 strong, stayed behind in Britain. One of the three was Ralph Chetwynd, B.C.'s minister of trade and industry.

The delegation is said to have been the largest trade group to visit Britain from Canada, and a spokesman for B.C. House in London said the group went home well satisfied with results. Of the \$20,000,000 which will be spent on British products, about \$12,000,000 are involved in contracts already signed and sealed, and the rest is regarded as a firm commitment.

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In return, the traders hope British buyers will show an increasing disposition to "buy Canadian," in particular B.C. products.

A. D. Richardson, representing a B.C. foodstuffs company, placed orders totalling about \$500,000. Among the items he was particularly interested in were sauces, marmalades, pickles and Scottish specialties, such as tinned grouse and heather honey.

Tied in with the business done on the trip was the feeling of the delegates that this was something of a pioneer venture. They flew from Vancouver to London on the first Canadian Pacific Airlines flight with passengers over the polar regions, doing the trip in about 16 hours.

WEEK-END REVIEW

Mining Issues Continue to Hold Attention of Buyers in Canada

By HENRY BAKER
Canadian Press Staff Writer

Mining issues were the chief attraction on the two principal Canadian stock markets this week.

In Toronto, the group climbed nearly a point and a half on the weekly index after touching 1954-55 highs and in Montreal they pushed volume of shares traded to record highs.

Industrials also advanced to near record levels at Toronto, reflecting the bullishness of the New York stock exchange which advanced to 11 consecutive record peaks before leveling off in the last two sessions.

The mild sell-off in New York came as no surprise to Wall Street financiers after the market's sustained advance, and the drop was not considered serious because of the light volume involved.

Friday's volume on the Canadian stock exchange was 2,412,000 shares, surpassing the previous peak of 2,188,000 established Wednesday.

Prices at Montreal advanced

steadily throughout the week except for a brief pause Tuesday. Industrials, papers and golds led the way but utilities and banks were easier.

In Toronto, some of the buying enthusiasm for mining issues brushed off on industrials and the group climbed to near record highs.

Chibougamau Explorers led base metals up climbing \$1.21 to \$1.15 on 262,000 shares. Consolidated Mining and Smelting gained 62½ cents to \$31.87½. Sherritt 35 to \$6.40, Quebec Metallurgical 15 to \$4.15 and a dozen other issues had smaller advances.

Beaumont dropped 35 to \$5.65 and Maritimes, Consolidated Sudbury, Bathurst, Anaconda, Noranda and Steep Rock had smaller losses.

Gains and losses were pretty well balanced in western oils. Bailey Selburn A led advancing issues, climbing 62½ to \$10.25. Losses ranging to 50 cents went to Scurry Rainbow, Great Sweet Grass, Central Explorers, Canadian Williston and Calvan.

Weekly index changes at Toronto: Industrials up .71 to 385.71, golds down .58 to 84.49, base metals up 1.42 to 176.70 and western oils down .73 to 104.19.

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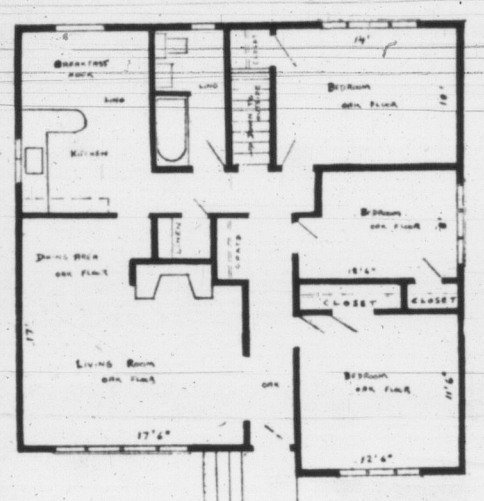
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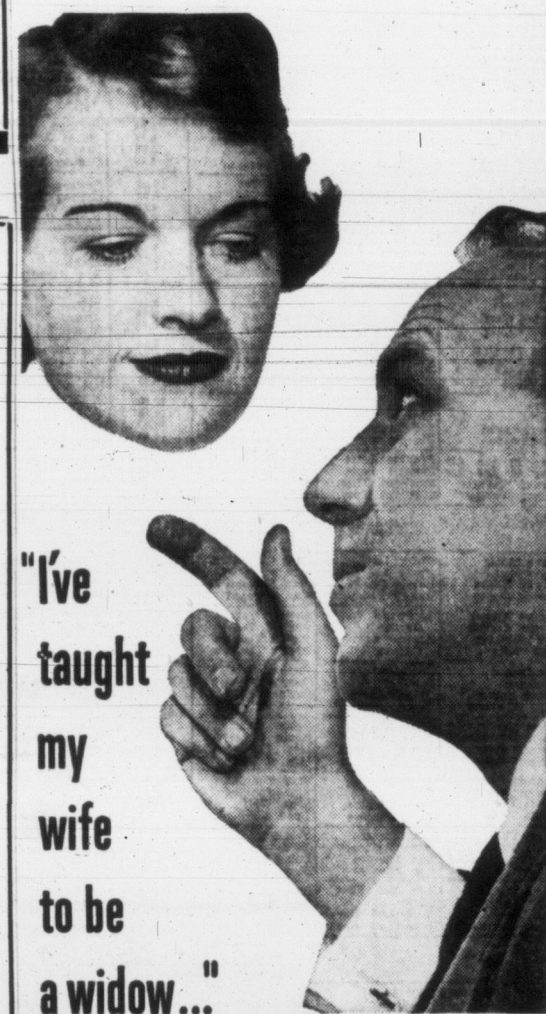
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Wild Bill Hickok Wild Bill Hickok Disneyland	Soap Box Derby Soap Box Derby Quiddon	Bar 5 Theatre Bar 5 Theatre Buffalo Bill	5.00	Talent Contest Talent Contest Cowboy Theatre	5.15	Matinee Love of Life Love of Life	5.30	Movie Movie Movie	5.45
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Chamber to Call Off Ferry Service Talks

Denny Excused Committee Work; Says Nanaimo Route May Win Out

The Victoria Chamber of Commerce intends to give up the idea of talking the CPR or any other steamship company into establishing a Gulf of Georgia service between Saanich Peninsula and the B.C. mainland.

Instead, the chamber will carry on collecting facts and information concerning the business potential of the proposed route in the hope that some company, on its own, will become interested and undertake such a service without urging. Chamber directors Friday agreed to relieve Tom Denny of the chairmanship of the special committee on ship transportation, which he has headed since its formation in September, 1952. Stuart Keate, chamber president, will be asked to assume the chairmanship when he returns from a trip to the east.

NO "PET PIGEON"

Mr. Denny asked to be relieved because "I've worked so long on it people are beginning to think it's just a pet pigeon of Tom Denny. It's not. We feel it's a matter of such magnitude and importance we should have our president as chairman."

During the two and one-half years it has functioned, Mr. Denny explained, the committee has fought what it considers a losing battle against deterioration of CPR boat service to southern Vancouver Island. "It is agreed by many that the present Victoria to Vancouver service is in a precarious state and fears are expressed that within a few years if we do not choose the short peninsula-mainland route, we will have allowed the Nanaimo route to be forced on us and the Victoria harbor route will continue to be a losing proposition to the CPR and is bound to be withdrawn," he said.

Mr. Denny said Victoria could do three things: 1. Do nothing and accept Nanaimo as its doorway; 2. cling to Victoria inner harbor as a terminal for as long as possible even in the face of eventual withdrawal of service; or 3. press for the new peninsula route service.

Mr. Denny estimated 50 per cent of those who had expressed interest in the subject favored a service from the peninsula. Another 25 per cent, he estimated, wanted to fight to keep Victoria as the terminal and the other 25 per cent was willing to do nothing.

Mr. Denny regretted: "Top executives of the city who supported us at first, now have been saying things that indicate they've changed their opinions. But we must be prepared to fight for this. We're inclined in Victoria sometimes to just let things slip by."

While the CPR has rejected the chamber's proposal, Mr. Denny said: "I don't think the CPR is as adamant about it as they would appear."

Fred W. Hawes, said Victoria shippers "would definitely get a better rate" if a service were instituted from the peninsula. He estimated "at least 50 per cent" of Victoria's freight was now travelling through Nanaimo.

He felt trucking firms were enjoying a business boom as a result of the existing situation but warned: "It is the merchants of this city who are paying for that long haul."

TRUCKERS VIEW
William Heaney, speaking for the trucking trade, said that while the haul between Victoria and Nanaimo was 70 miles and

AT THE EVENING SERVICE

Native Bolivian Girl Speaks at First Baptist

The congregation of First Baptist Church will hear a native Bolivian, Miss Grace Papia, speak and show pictures of her native country at the evening service Sunday.

Canadian Baptists have been interested in the Bolivian mission field since the turn of the century when the Rev. A. B. Reekie left a small Manitoba charge to preach in South America.

One of the outstanding accomplishments of the mission has been the freeing of slaves in the area where it was established and succeeding in rooting the natives on land of their own.

Churches, schools and nursing stations are now maintained and the mission now has the unique distinction of owning and operating a radio station. It is in this section of Bolivia that evangelical workers have suffered persecution and death.

While preaching in the small village of Melcamaya, youthful Norman Dabbs and seven other workers were stoned to death.

Miss Papia will speak of the work being done by the mission, which is located high in the Andes by the shore of Lake Titicaca, highest body of fresh water in the world.

Brazil possesses Latin America's largest steel mill, booming Volta Redonda, located 60 miles from Rio de Janeiro. Built by United States and Brazilian capital, the steel centre can turn out 600,000 tons of rolled steel products a year.

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Chou Offers Formosa Talks With U.S.

AFRICAN VIOLET CRAZE BLOOMING ALL OVER

The African violet, a flower discovered in East Africa in 1890, has suddenly developed what is described as "the fastest-blooming craze in the world," says an article in Weekend Magazine in this issue. Clubs have been formed, and magazines published for the "fever" which grips people who grow them.

Public Power In Jeopardy Says Webster

CCF Leader Says Withdrawal
Big Defeat for Commission

CCF Opposition Leader Arnold Webster said today the B.C. government must "very soon take a stand" on the future of public power in British Columbia.

Mr. Webster, commenting on the B.C. Power Commission's withdrawal from the Powell River power battle in favor of the B.C.E., said the move "was a defeat for public power."

He said that as long as the two utilities are operating, "the commission will have to battle every inch of the way," and that the province "is not big enough for both."

Mr. Webster said there will be constant friction and trouble, "as long as both private

Cabinet Interference Denied

Meanwhile, Premier Bennett and BCPC chairman T. H. Crosby have issued statements denying there was cabinet interference in the Powell River issue.

Chelsea Wins Championship

LONDON (Reuters) — Chelsea, the luckless London soccer club for years the butt of comedians, today won the English Football League championship for the first time by blanking Sheffield Wednesday here 3-0. Its nearest rival, Portsmouth, drew with Cardiff 1-1.

Victory came on the 50th anniversary year of the club, formed in a London tavern in 1905.

Manager Ted Drake, almost overcome with emotion, and captain Roy Bentley, the England international, thanked the overjoyed fans for their support over the years.

Celtic and Clyde fought to a 1-1 draw in the Scottish Cup final at Hampden Park today, and will replay the game Wednesday night. (See scores on Page 3.)

Gail Russell Fined for Hit-Run

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Actress Gail Russell was convicted Friday of hit-run driving and fined \$50. Miss Russell was accused of leaving the scene after he car struck the rear of one driven by Leonard Deutsch, 29, in North Hollywood last Feb. 11. Deutsch, his wife and baby were shaken up.

Busse Dead

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (UP) — Henry Busse, 61, famous orchestra leader and trumpet player known as "Mr. Hot Lips Himself," died of a heart attack at the Hotel Peabody here today.

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Bulganin Favors Talk 'At Summit'

Says Ike, Eden
Must Set Date

MOSCOW (AP) — Premier Nikolai Bulganin said tonight he favors a "parley at the summit" but the date depends on President Eisenhower and British Prime Minister Eden.

Bulganin told this to Western correspondents at a gala reception given by Foreign Minister Molotov at the Spasskaya place for a Polish government delegation. The Poles are in Moscow to celebrate the 10th anniversary of the Soviet-Polish mutual-aid treaty.

Bulganin was questioned by Western correspondents around a buffet table.

SAYS "ASK IKE"

He was asked whether the Soviet proposal on a Big Four foreign ministers' conference to sign the Austrian state treaty might be followed by a meeting of the four heads of government.

"Ask Eisenhower and Eden about the date," Bulganin replied. "I have made my position clear."

"Do you mean by that statement that you are of a positive attitude toward a Big Four meeting?" a correspondent asked.

Bulganin nodded. This was taken by Western correspondents to mean Bulganin is ready to meet the three Western heads of government when the date is set.

Tory-Socred 'Deal' Charged in Brief

Details Revealed at Executive
Meeting Here of B.C. Association

By TOM GOULD

Federal Conservative organizers discouraged constituency officials from fielding candidates in the 1953 provincial elections, in order to enlist the support of Social Crediters in the federal election contests.

This charge was laid today by officers of the B.C. Progressive Conservative Association, in a brief presented to an executive meeting in the Empress Hotel.

The brief accused the federal Tory organization of working to undermine the provincial party to gain Social Credit aid in the federal field.

STUDY SET

The executive meeting was adjourned at noon, so members could study the brief, and formulate action aimed at forcing a national party convention.

Quoted in the brief, which traces the stormy inter-branch dissension from 1942, is Douglas Taylor, past president of the Chilliwack provincial constituency association, and of the Fraser Valley federal riding association.

Mr. Taylor reported on a conversation he had with a man "who identified himself as John Fox, federal Conservative organizer in B.C."

According to Taylor, Fox told him "We have decided to support the Social Credit party provincially, so it would be wise for you if you do not run anyone" in the '53 provincial election.

The brief also quotes J. P. Robertson, a past president of the Chilliwack provincial group, concerning another pre-election discussion in 1953, with the same Mr. Fox, who termed himself "a special representative for George Drew."

"He (Mr. Fox) explained that if we would do the same as New Westminster, and not oppose the Social Credit provincially, the Social Credit would support us federally," said Mr. Robertson.

Throughout the brief, Howard Green, Tory MP for Vancouver-Quadra, is accused of opposing attempts to restore harmony in the B.C. Conservative party.



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U.S. Wants Chiang In on Talks

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States called on Red China today to show its sincerity and accept Nationalist China as a participant as a condition to any direct negotiations on the Formosa situation.

The state department issued a statement after consultations with President Eisenhower on Red Chinese Premier Chou En-lai's offer to negotiate directly with the United States on Far East tensions, particularly in the Formosa area.

THREE WAYS

It suggested three ways in which Communist China could demonstrate its sincerity:

1. Agree to a cease-fire immediately in Formosa Strait.
2. Release at once the 15 American airmen and about 40 U.S. civilians "it unjustly holds."
3. Accept the United Nations Security Council's "outstanding invitation" to debate ways of ending hostilities in the Formosa area.

DULEES ADVISED

Department officials said State Secretary Dulles, vacationing at Duck Island in Lake Ontario, was being advised of Red China's proposals for negotiations.

The department's statement was issued after acting secretary Herbert Hoover Jr. talked by telephone with President Eisenhower, who is week-ending at his Gettysburg, Pa., farm.

White House press secretary James Hagerty said earlier the president had been "in close touch with the situation all morning." Hagerty said Eisenhower spent an hour on the phone discussing Chou's statement with him and Hoover.

WIRE BRIEFS

First 'Copter Flight

WINDSOR, Eng. (AP) — Queen Mother Elizabeth made her first helicopter flight today when she flew from Windsor Great Park to the RAF station at Biggin Hill.

20th Gas Death

VANCOUVER (BUP) — A 73-year-old woman, Miss M. O. Bush, became Vancouver's 20th domestic gas victim of the year today when she was found unconscious in her room in a rooming house.

Get Free Vaccine

REGINA (BUP) — The Saskatchewan government plans to immunize all residents of the province up to the age of 34 years with Salk polio vaccine free of charge.

Cool, Breezy Week-End Faces Victorians

A cool, breezy week-end, with possible frost in some low-lying areas tonight, is the weatherman's promise for Victoria.

Bill Mackie, of the Weather Office reports a circulation of fairly moist, cool, unstable air. A storm front passing overnight brought heavy winds in Juan de Fuca Strait, averaging about 42 miles per hour, with gusts at 2 a.m. of 63 miles per hour.

Prospects are that winds will decrease somewhat tonight but likely will average 20 miles per hour Sunday. A few showers are expected, especially on the edge of the hills, but skies should be generally sunny.

Low tonight will be 35, high Sunday 52.



Seems China's willin' t' talk with th' States after talkin' at 'em fer so long. Guess th' Chou's on th' other foot.

Ever'body seems t' hev power but th' commission.

Oh well. Guess y' can't hev warm winters AN' warm summers.



CHOU EN-LAI
... explodes bombshell

REACTION

'New Formosa Situation' Hope of U.K.

LONDON (Reuters) — Britain today expressed hope that Chinese Premier Chou En-lai's offer to negotiate with the United States will produce "a new situation" over Formosa.

The official view here came in a cautious statement from a foreign office spokesman shortly after Chou's announcement at the Asian-African conference.

Diplomatic quarters in London welcomed the announcement as the most encouraging sign yet that Peiping wants a negotiated settlement of the explosive Formosa issue.

They pointed out the contrast with past Peiping declarations thundering against U.S. "aggression" and insisting the Formosa issue was purely an internal Chinese affair.

TAIPEI (AP) — Official Chinese Nationalist quarters tonight described Red China's offer to negotiate the Formosa issue with the United States as "a peace offensive and a well-timed bit of propaganda."

Noting that Premier Chou En-lai's statement at Bandung came on the eve of the arrival here of U.S. Admiral Arthur Radford and Assistant Secretary of State Walter Robertson, a spokesman said:

"When the Communists find it profitable they talk about peace. Past experience shows the United States cannot do business with the Reds."

RCN Ships In Collision

HALIFAX (BUP) — Two Canadian warships collided Friday night 28 miles off Bermuda. Atlantic Command head headquarters reported today.

The navy said the destroyer Algonquin under Capt. R. L. Hennessey, of Ottawa and Halifax, and the frigate Buckingham, under Lt.-Cmdr. J. W. Roberts, of Ottawa, rammed into each other while on anti-submarine exercises in the Caribbean.

No one was injured. Both ships returned to Bermuda under their own power. The Algonquin was holed on the starboard quarter near the stern, while the Buckingham suffered damage to her bow, above the waterline.

Ex-Mayor Dies

EDMONTON (CP) — Sidney Parsons, 62, a bricklayer and contractor who was Edmonton's mayor in 1949 and 1950, died Friday.

Peiping Doesn't Want To Go To War Bandung Parley Told

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'Settle by Peaceful Means'

Chou had signified his intention to negotiate on Formosa in his 45-minute address this morning.

Remaining seated and speaking slowly in Chinese, the Red leader declared: "Let China and the United States settle their common problems by peaceful means."

"China does not want war with the United States and if any one of you can help reduce tension, please do so. We would be grateful."

The address to the political committee's main conference forum climaxed Chou's conciliatory attitude since the conference opened Monday. Despite "needing" from pro-Western delegates, he maintained a restrained air.

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First Smile in Week

Chou brushed into the meeting surrounded by his usual heavy bodyguard. Reporters asked him if he had anything good to say. For the first time at the almost week-old conference the stern-faced Chinese smiled.

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Sir John Koteawala, the prime minister of Ceylon, arrived hurriedly at the meeting place and was asked how things were.

"I am feeling fine," Sir John said. "It is very good."

Earlier, Pakistan's prime minister, Mohammed Ali had told correspondents that Chou had authorized him at the luncheon attended by the leaders of India, Ceylon and Pakistan, to give out a statement before the committee.

"It is a very good statement," Ali said.

BUT BARABOO BRASS IS UNHAPPY

'Oink, Oink' All Over Town Is Not Pigs, It's the Kids

BARABOO, Wis. (UP) — Irate citizens of Baraboo cooled off somewhat today in their dispute with comedian Danny Thomas but still think he should explain they don't "oink."

The city council, the chamber of commerce and Mayor Duane Peck all are taking exception to some of the remarks Thomas will make in his filmed "Make Room for Daddy" show April 26. The Thomas film contains

such cracks about Baraboo as "Your mother's home town don't even have electricity yet. I'll bet they're waiting to see if it's gonna catch on," and "These people don't talk. They oink."

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CHOU SEEKS FORMOSA TALKS

AFRICAN VIOLET CRAZE BLOOMING ALL OVER

The African violet, a flower discovered in East Africa in 1890, has suddenly developed what is described as "the fastest-blooming craze in the world," says an article in *Weekend Magazine* in this issue. "Clubs have been formed, and magazines published for the 'fever' which grips people who grow them."

FINAL BULLETINS

One of Trio Picked Up

One of three youths who escaped Friday night from Brannan Lake Industrial School was picked up by Saanich Police shortly after 1 p.m. today. RCMP report the search for the other two is continuing.

Wes Santee Fails Again

LAWRENCE, Kas. (AP)—Wes Santee of Kansas failed again today in his quest for the four-minute mile, but managed to defend his Glen Cunningham mile title in the Kansas relays with a 4:11.4 on a muddy track and stiff crosswinds that made record running out of the question.

1,000 Seek Lost Girl

L'ABORD A PLOUFFE, Que. (CP)—A posse of 1,000 police and citizens was shaping up in this Montreal suburb today to search for a three-year-old girl missing since 2 p.m. Friday.

The youngster, Joanne Robichaud, was last seen playing in the backyard of her home, about 300 feet away from the swollen Riviere-des-Pratieres.

Vic Raschi Gets Release

ST. LOUIS (AP)—Pitcher Vic Raschi, who cost St. Louis Cardinals \$85,000 only 14 months ago, today was given his unconditional release.

The Cardinals notified Raschi at his home in Conesus, N.Y., that all clubs in both major leagues had granted waivers on him.

Man Injured in City Crash

City police took 57-year-old Hugh Renfrew, 501 Niagara, to St. Joseph's Hospital a few minutes after one this afternoon. He was treated for injuries to his hands, face and knee sustained in a collision of the truck he was driving and a bus at the intersection of Menzies and Superior.

He was admitted for X-rays, but hospital authorities believe he is not seriously injured.

\$10,000 Bail for Suspect

VANCOUVER (CP)—Bail of \$10,000 was set today when Robert Lewis appeared in police court charged with Thursday's \$3,000 robbery of a Royal Bank of Canada branch.

He was remanded to Friday without plea. Lewis is a cafe owner in White Rock, B.C.

Eden Visit Probably Off

LONDON (CP)—Sir Anthony Eden is not likely to go to Canada this year, it was learned today.

As foreign secretary he had accepted an invitation to go to Toronto in August to open the Canadian National Exhibition. Now, as prime minister, he is not expected to make the trip.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

LAUREL

FIRST RACE
Eve 123
Blindville 122
Hyper 122
Hera News 119
Galvanize 117
Roman Queen 117
Isa Terville 112
Rappart 119

SECOND RACE
Mull Treat 118
Raymond Jet 118
Hobbs Song 124
New Year This 124
Spot Resistant 121
Pat Agate 113
Cay Knight 118
Karanu 118

THIRD RACE
Gala Cravat 120
Fordham Court 117
Don't Look Now 117
French Brew 117
Peach Mite 117
Grand Refrain 120
First Home 115
Ace Drum 117

FOURTH RACE
Nugget 121
Air Colonel 121
Holly Johnson 118
Radical 112
Slim 121
Freedom Won

FIFTH RACE
En Rapport 103
Witchery 113
Infante 103

SIXTH RACE
Jesse Linthicum 118
Haviland 111
One Throe 111
Jennie C 110

SEVENTH RACE
Maggie Lamb 123
Mr. Skip 114
Callie 114
Punkin Vine 118

EIGHTH RACE
Coleridge 118
Kikuyu 113
Fair Bet 110
Aikara 110
Zevette 114
March Chick 118
Intershim 108
Apley 124

GOLDEN GATE

FIRST RACE
Ruled Out 113
Ber Barton 119
Bella Borella 119
Lady Basil 119
Para Panch 113
Jermyn Street 113
Hornbrook 116
Cay Drum 117

SECOND RACE
Six furlongs:
Tillam 124
Ariel Mito 103
Vino 107
Union Bell 107
Reading Star 102
Troy Glors 107
Real Blend 102

THIRD RACE
Brie Supply 108
Trickster 114
Silver Ring 111
Random Pool 114
Hammy Bell 112

FOURTH RACE
Old Norwalk 114
Swell 114
Son of Alpen 114

FIFTH RACE
Six furlongs:
Real Hope 112
Speedy Ace 115
Royal Grace 115
Mr. Sullivan 117
What 112
Nevrlink 113

SIXTH RACE
English Lad 106
Big Rush 111
Count Me Out 123
Aerie 119

SEVENTH RACE
Night Street 112
Joiden Land 112
Dark Chief 104
Mr. Sullivan 117
Jesse Draw 105

EIGHTH RACE
Narajo 112
Por Free 112
Royal's Last 112
Jings-Cook 109

NINE RACE
Six furlongs:
Jubilation 109
Mommie's Mare 109
Favorite Date 109
Seyler 110
Whirlwind 111
Irish Boy 111
End to End 113
Semile 111

Public Power In Jeopardy Says Webster

CCF Opposition Leader Arnold Webster said today the B.C. government must "very soon take a stand" on the future of public power in British Columbia.

Mr. Webster, commenting on the B.C. Power Commission's withdrawal from the Powell River power battle in favor of the BCE, said the move "was a defeat for public power."

He said that as long as the two utilities are operating, "the commission will have to battle every inch of the way," and that the province "is not big enough for both."

Mr. Webster said "there will be constant friction and trouble," as long as both private

and public utilities are operating.

In Victoria, Frank Snowsall, former Saanich CCF MLA, and a member of the party's provincial executive, said Premier Bennett "is trying to undermine the power commission, and would sell the whole thing down the river if he could."

He called the commission's retreat at Powell River "a betrayal of the interests of the people, and a deplorable retrograde step."

Meanwhile, Premier Bennett and BCCP chairman T. H. Crosby have issued statements denying there was cabinet interference in the Powell River issue.

(During a press conference Thursday, the commission said the matter had been discussed with individual members of the

(Continued on Page 11)

Golf Champ

Lee Stiel of Seattle won the men's championship of the 25th annual Empress Golf Tournament today by defeating F. E. Shafer of Salem, Oregon, 3 and 1 at the Victoria Club.

Winner of the women's championship was medalist Mrs. O. W. Smith, also of Seattle. She defeated Mrs. J. D. Munro of Victoria, 5 and 4.

SELECTIONS

GOLDEN GATE

1—Jermyn Street, Hornbrook, Ruled Out
2—Tiff, Nino, Rocinante
3—Trafficler, Top Performer, Kings Pass
4—Eddie's Boy, Old Norwalk, Swell
5—Jet Lady, Speedy Ace, Royal Grace
6—Flycatcher, Aerie, Count Me Out
7—Bean Busher, Mr. Sullivan, Noir
8—Se Vova, Narajo, Por Free
9—In Newark, spy Fleet, Seiler

LAUREL

1—Neca Neca, Rappart, Tribune
2—Spot Resistant, Now Hear This, Ruled Out
3—Grand Refrain, Ace Drum, Gala Cravat
4—Blindville, Hyper, What Sir
5—Lady Ballader, Pierce, Witchery
6—Jesse Linthicum, Roman Fair, One Throe
7—Punkin Vine, Magic Lamp, Blue Volt
8—Apley, March Chick, Celeriter

LAUREL

First Race—\$45.00 \$10.00 \$10.00
Knowall (Despirtor) 3.20 2.60
Bon Fen (Griffin) 4.00
Time—1:46 2-5

LAUREL

First Race—\$13.20 \$6.00 \$4.70
Shasta (Despirtor) 3.80 2.00
Monte (Nelson) 6.00
Time—1:46 1-5

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First Race—\$9.00 \$3.40 \$2.60
Momo Fan (Hurtack) 2.80 2.40
Battle Mount (Despirtor) 3.80
Time—1:44 2-5

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First Race—\$11.20 \$4.40 \$3.20
Icebreaker (Brown) 18.80 8.60
Bona Request (Shuk) 4.00
Time—1:43 1-5

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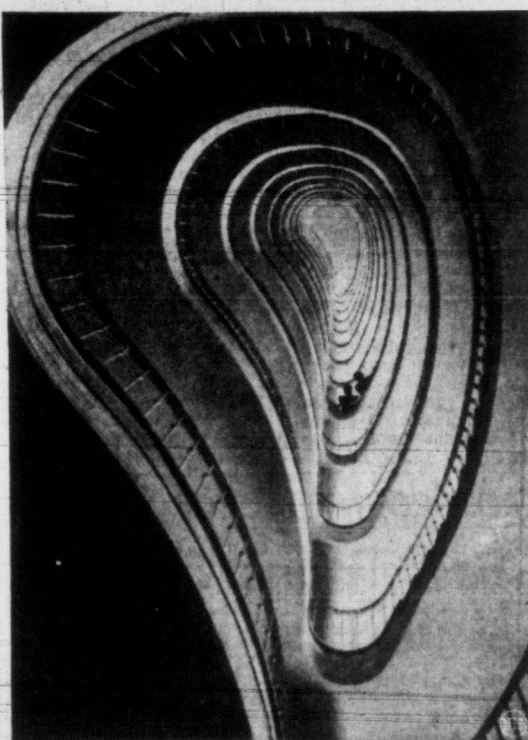
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What Is It?

Something new in staircases is this 14-story one which looks very much like a huge human ear. It's part of a modern building in Berlin, Germany. Note two persons leaning over a railing in centre of staircase.

Tory-Socred 'Deal' Charged in Brief

Details Revealed at Executive Meeting Here of B.C. Association

By TOM GOULD

Federal Conservative organizers discouraged constituency officials from fielding candidates in the 1953 provincial elections, in order to enlist the support of Social Crediters in the federal election contests.

This charge was laid today by officers of the B.C. Progressive Conservative Association, in a brief presented to an executive meeting in the Empress Hotel.

The brief accused the federal Tory organization of working to undermine the provincial party to gain Social Credit aid in the federal field.

The executive meeting was adjourned at noon, so members could study the brief, and formulate action aimed at forcing a national party convention.

Quoted in the brief, which traces the stormy inter-necine dissension from 1942, is Douglas Taylor, past president of the Chilliwack provincial constituency association, and of the Fraser Valley federal riding association.

Mr. Taylor reported on a conversation he had with a man who identified himself as John Fox, federal Conservative organizer in B.C.

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cially, the Social Credit would support us federally," said Mr. Robertson.

Throughout the brief, Howard Green, Tory MP for Vancouver-Quadra, is accused of opposing attempts to restore harmony in the B.C. Conservative party.

The brief follows last year's Vernon rebellion, when the same executive passed a motion of non-confidence in George Drew. Since then, the Tories have split into two camps.

The provincial group, which still claims jurisdiction over federal matters, is headed by Deane Finlayson. The second group, called the federal council, is led by the three B.C. Tory MPs, Green, Major-General G. R. Pearkes, VC, and Davie Fulton of Kamloops.

Today's brief gives the first documented evidence of the much-rumored Social Credit-Conservative "deal," which has been denied by officials of both parties.

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Communist officials declined to clear up such questions as whether it would be transmitted officially to the U.S. government and whether any other country would be included in the proposed negotiations.

Many non-Communist diplomats here said the statement bore many elements of propaganda and may have been worded ambiguously to influence Asian and African opinion in Chou's favor.

after today's speech that Chou "was as quiet and as docile as a lamb."

Chou offered at the meeting his seven-point "peace declaration" with a preamble which said:

"Taking cognizance of the fact that present world tension is impairing international co-operation and harmony; "Recognizing the desire of the peoples of the world for a solid and lasting peace and for the development of friendly relations between nations;

"With a view to achieve and maintain the independence and freedom of the Asian and African countries, and

"With a view to safeguard and strengthen world peace, declares:

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"3. Abstention from interference or intervention in the internal affairs of one another."

"4. Recognition of the equality of races."

"5. Recognition of the equality of all nations, large and small."

"6. Respect for the right of the people of all countries to choose freely their way of life."

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WASHINGTON (AP)—The United States called on Red China today to show its sincerity and accept Nationalist China as a participant as a condition to any direct negotiations on the Formosa situation.

The state department issued a statement after consultations with President Eisenhower on Red Chinese Premier Chou En-lai's offer to negotiate directly with the United States on Far East tensions, particularly in the Formosa area.

It suggested three ways in which Communist China could demonstrate its sincerity:

1. Agree to a cease-fire immediately in Formosa Strait.

2. Release at once the 15 American airmen and about 40 U.S. civilians "it unjustly holds."

3. Accept the United Nations Security Council's "outstanding invitation" to debate ways of ending hostilities in the Formosa area.

DULLES ADVISED

Department officials said State Secretary Dulles, vacationing at Duck Island in Lake Ontario, was being advised of Red China's proposals for negotiations.

The department's statement was issued after acting secretary Herbert Hoover Jr. talked by telephone with President Eisenhower, who is week-ending at his Gettysburg, Pa., farm.

White House press secretary James Hagerty said earlier the president had been "in close touch with the situation all morning." Hagerty said Eisenhower spent an hour on the phone discussing Chou's statement with him and Hoover.

TONIGHT

Turn Clock Ahead

Tonight's the night . . . But do it right!

Daylight saving time starts officially at 12:01 a.m. Sunday morning, which is the middle of the night to many sound-sleeping citizens.

So you don't actually have to set your clocks to the new time at precisely 12:01 a.m. (which becomes 1:01 a.m., daylight saving time).

You can change your clocks before you go to bed or after you get up.

BUT . . . Turn them one hour AHEAD.



Seems China's willin' t' talk with th' States after talkin' at 'em fer so long. Guess th' Chou's on th' other foot.

Ever'body seems t' hev power but th' commission.

On well. Guess y' can't hev warm winters AN' warm summers.